**Weather**

Cloudy and cool. The maximum temperature yesterday was 71.8 and the minimum 54.0, the figures for the corresponding day last year being 87.3 and 57.0.

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# NEGOTIATIONS FOR RELEASE OF THE CAPTIVES ARE NEARING CLIMAX

## CHINA'S MINTS ARE NERVOUS OVER FALL IN METAL PRICES

### Recessions In America And London Cause Uneasiness

### SUPPLIES ARE LOW

### Tin Market Lifeless; Quotations For Lead On Decline

BY DAVID ARAKIE

The mints in China are making purchases cautiously, being somewhat nervous of the recent recessions in price that have overtaken the iron and steel markets in America and London. As is generally the case Chinese display a certain amount of nervousness when rates begin toppling down, and they get obsessed with the idea that nothing can arrest a decline. The same attitude is displayed when the market takes a sharp turn upward and there is a rush to buy. In the recent boom the Chinese dealers were caught napping and the rapidity with which prices were whirled round induced the buyers here to wait for a decline. Although in many steel and iron products the recessions have been substantial there is still little inclination to operate, the opinion being general that values will take further dips downward.

The mints in China are continuing to make purchases of copper but these are on a limited scale. During the past week only 200 to 300 tons were contracted for, while for the first half of this month the amount of new contracts do not exceed more than 500 tons. This is just sufficient for two months' requirements of the mints, and under the circumstances a bigger trade in this line can be looked forward in the near future.

An interesting fact is that the four mints are confining their purchases to refined and cast copper and are not interested any more in electrolytic copper.

**TWO KINDS OF COPPER**

Electrolytic copper is of a purity of 999, while refined copper is 995. Even when the mints used electrolytic a certain amount of alloy had to be employed in the minting of copper coins. With the comparatively higher price now being commanded in the American market for electrolytic copper the mints have decided to rule this out and use the other copper which insures a saving. The Chinese way is wise, for they secure the same fineness at a reduced cost. Stocks of cast copper in Shanghai are about 200 tons and of electrolytic copper some 50 tons.

Shanghai supplies of electrolytic are the lowest on record for many years, which prompts us to believe that the Chinese mints will soon be in the American market for their needs. In Hankow there are some 500 tons on hand. The rate in Shanghai for electrolytic is Ts. 35 and for casting copper. Ts. 32 to Ts. 35. The hesitating feeling among the mints in making forward contracts is due to the high rate prevailing for electrolytic, which at the beginning of the year stood at 14⅝ and is now rated at 16⅝. Prior to the decline it was selling in New York at 17½.

The stocks of galvanised sheets in Shanghai have been growing large, being estimated today at a thousand tons. It will be recalled that at the beginning of this year the Chinese dealers displayed feverish activity in buying galvanised sheets on account of diminished supplies, and a number of large contracts were placed. These contracted sheets have been arriving steadily last month and are continuing to be consigned to Shanghai. The buyers have been disappointed at the paucity of buying orders from the North and upcountry centers. Consequently stocks have been accumulating here. The troubled state of the country has militated against the merchants placing their orders for

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## *Chinese Church Workers Ask Foreign Understanding In The Christian Movement*

### Young Leaders Present Case In Striking Addresses; Industrial Problems To Be Considered Today

Bishop L. H. Roots and Dr. Henry T. Hodgkin of the staff of the National Christian Council addressed the English-speaking community in Shanghai last night at the Union Church on "The Most Hopeful Fact in China today."

At the morning session of the annual meeting of the National Christian Council, which is now in progress, the above theme was strikingly personified when three of the most outstanding young leaders in the Protestant Christian Church of China presented the subject, "The Chinese Church in its Place in the World-wide Christian Movement." Addresses were given by Prof. T. C. Chao of Soochow, Prof. T. T. Lew of Peking, and Mr. Peter Chuan of the staff of the National Christian Council, on this subject. There was such strength of conviction and such originality of approach in these three addresses as to make this probably the high point of the conference.

"This is the subject that the Chinese leaders are most interested in," said one experienced foreign delegate, and one felt indeed that among China's many depressing circumstances of today the Christian church, now being taken over to such a large degree by the Chinese themselves, is emerging as the most hopeful fact in the life of the nation.

Mr. Chuan pleaded for an understanding on the part of foreigners working in China of the essence of Chinese life, which he interpreted as "the principle of tranquility," claiming that this is China's greatest characteristic, while that of the West is strenuous activity. He said that for this reason it is probably easier for China to understand the West than for the West to understand China. He urged a greater knowledge on the part of foreigners working in China of Chinese literature and life.

Prof. Chao spoke on the relation of the Chinese church to the church universal.

**OUTSTANDING POINTS**

The following are some of the outstanding points made in his talk:

"The Chinese church has to create her own standing, justify her own existence, exhibit her own life, undergo her own experiences, feel her own agony and see her own Gethsemane, find her own cross, make her own forms and ceremonies, state her own faith and beliefs, and establish her own institutions. In her sufferings will the world share, in her activities will the world participate, in her future will the world hope, in her triumph will the world glory, but in her life of synthetic creation of self discovery, she must move forward alone.

"She must be a social church with a thoroughgoing social gospel. She must indeed work out the personal salvation of those within her fold and without, but she is under obligation to the knowledge that the vine and the branches are one in life, and that individuals are social in nature and in destiny, involved intricately and necessarily in one another. In carrying out the duty of saving individuals she must make the utmost effort to save society as a whole. She has consequently many problems—problems common to both the Church Universal and herself. On account of this community of questions and difficulties, she must look to the Church Universal for guidance and counsel in facing the problems existing between capital and labor; between men and women, between the governing and the governed, between the fathers and children, between the strong and the weak, between the aged and the young, between the good and evil-minded, and between the Christian and non-Christian. The whole church should be educated in the Christian conception of social justice and the whole church must be mobilised for social regeneration, and reconstruction.

**IS NATIONAL CHURCH**

"The Chinese church, like the other churches that compose the church universal, is a national church. She shall hasten the development of a national consciousness among the people so that through such national awakening the Chinese people may soon discover their true self and make their special contribution to the world. It is only through a truly national development that the citizens of a nation may gain an international mind. In the time to come as the Chinese church develops, she will become a completely independent unity, enjoying autonomy in government, in theological statements, in finance, and in the propagation of the truth.

"The Chinese Church believes that the Chinese people as a whole are sound at heart in spite of the apparent political corruption and social evils now prevalent. But she has begun to realise that China is suffering from mere passive love of peace, from the excessive ability on the part of her people to endure wrongs heaped upon her by other peoples, and from ignorant contentment with the present.

"At a time when civil strife with in and powerful encroachments without disturb the very foundations of order and independence, the Church cannot be silent, but

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## CANTON BANDITS RELEASE ROWSON IS WORD RECEIVED

### B.A.T. Offices Get Telegram Saying Staff Man Is Free

Mr. H. C. Rowson, of the Hongkong branch of the British-American Tobacco Company, who was captured by Kwangtung bandits has been released, according to telegraphic word received by the local offices of the company yesterday. The message stated that Mr. Rowson was in good health but gave no further details regarding the release.

The following report from the Hongkong Telegraph gives some idea of the treatment accorded their captive by the Kwangtung bandits. He is said to have been bound with cords and kept in a cave.

Further news is to hand today from our Pakhoi correspondent regarding Mr. H. C. Rowson, of the Hongkong staff of the British-American Tobacco Company, who was recently kidnapped by Chinese bandits.

Writing under date of the 2nd instant, our correspondent states that, according to latest advices, Mr. Rowson and his Chinese salesman are lodged in a cave in the hills some twenty miles beyond the spot where he was kidnapped. He had, apparently, been in this cave for several days. The cave can only be entered by sliding in, feet first, through a small hole, as there is a drop of some feet just inside the entrance. There is a well of fresh spring water inside.

There are some thirty armed men standing guard over Mr. Rowson, who has his camp bed inside the cave and is being quite well treated. He is said to be still bound with cords, and has developed quite a beard.

Mr. Rowson and his fellow captive are moved about from spot to spot at intervals of some days, but the movements always take place under cover of darkness, this being done, apparently, so that the captives may not recognise the locality in which they are situated.

The bandit chief, whose name is Wong, is somewhere in the vicinity of the cave, as messages are sent to him from time to time. According to our correspondent, when information was last obtained as to Mr. Rowson's captivity in the cave, the bandits were preparing to move him and the Chinese salesman to some other unknown spot.

*(Reuter's Pacific Service)*

Hongkong, May 14.—The British-American Tobacco Company has been informed by wireless that Mr. Rowson has been released and is in good health. He is returning to Hongkong on board the Taikwa Maru, nothing is at present known here as to how the release was effected.

## Henley Brings Out Messages, And Keeping Promise Returns To The Bandits' Camp And Gives Self Up

MR. Jerome A. Henley of Shanghai just as he arrived from the camp of the bandits. He brought out various important messages, and keeping his promise, returned and again gave himself into the custody of the Shantung outlaws. On the other side of the burro is Mr. K. P. Koo, a student at Nanking Teachers' College, a captive who was sent out with Mr Henley as interpreter. The picture was taken by Larry Lehrbas of THE CHINA PRESS.

## ANDERSON AND HENLEY KEEP UP EFFORTS, WITH 'GUARANTEES' BIG SNAG

### Bandit Chief Refuses To Take Word Of Chinese Officials, And Anderson So Far Has Been Unable To Give Assurance Against Reprisals; Prisoners Send Out Letters, Asking Friends And Relatives Not To Worry

*By Lloyd ("Larry") Lehrbas*
*(China Press Staff Correspondent)*

**Tsaochwang, May 14.—Henley and Anderson returned today from bandit headquarters. They had a conference with the bandit leaders and saw all of the captives, all of whom are in good health. Musso, who has been ill, is improved and is in much better spirits.**

**The main drawback to the negotiations is the fact that the bandits refuse to take any body's word except Mr. Anderson's that there will be no reprisals, and so far he has not been able to give them assurances on this point.**

**It is stated on good authority that the negotiations for the release of the prisoners are now reaching a climax. Anderson had a long talk with the Shantung tuchun today and believes everything is fixed. He and Henley are returning to the bandit headquarters tonight.**

## *Pirates Capture And Loot China Merchants Steamer Taishun, Bound To H'kong*

*(Reuter's Pacific Service)*

Hongkong, May 14.—The China Merchants S. N. Co's steamer Taishun, bound for Shanghai from Canton and Hongkong with a large number of passengers and a valuable cargo on board, was seized by pirates fifty miles from Swatow on Saturday morning.

The pirates, who were about fifty in number, travelled as passengers. At a given signal they suddenly commenced the attack, working in small parties, each of which appeared to have had some particular work assigned to them before the attack. In a short time they had the whole ship under their control, steering the ship themselves.

The pirates who were travelling first-class, rushed into the ship's armory and succeeded in obtaining all the equipment of the captain and officers. They held up the captain, the European officers and the passengers at the point of the revolver.

After a careful search they locked them up in cabins, etc. The chief officer was seriously wounded with a chopper by a pirate and several of the crew who showed signs of resistance were roughly handled, one of them being wounded but not seriously.

Some time after the seizure of the ship the officers and passengers were collected together and locked up in the captain's room for the remainder of the time the pirates were aboard.

The pirates seemed to show some consideration for the passengers and refreshments were provided for the Europeans.

The Chinese steerage passengers were panic-stricken. The pirates appeared everywhere. They closely searched the passengers and then herded them together in No. 1 hold, over which they placed a heavy guard.

The pirates later feasted themselves on chicken and whiskey-and-soda.

They handled the ship in a masterly way. With the help of the second officer, they steered the ship to a small creek near the Tungao Roads, reaching their destination early yesterday morning. During the night they steamed without lights.

A small fishing-junk was commandeered, to which they removed the loot, consisting of practically all the valuables of the passengers and a quantity of silver bullion. The total value of the booty is estimated at $50,000. The Taishun's cargo was not touched.

A number of the pirates left in the junk with the booty.

At five o'clock in the morning the last batch of pirates, including the leader, left in a lifeboat, manned by members of the crew of the Taishun. The captain was taken as a hostage, and before their departure the pirates threatened to execute him if the vessel attempted to leave before given time.

Half an hour afterwards the captain and the crew of the lifeboat returned to the ship. Steam was raised and the Taishun left for Hongkong, where she arrived late yesterday afternoon.

The chief officer has been admitted to hospital.

The Taishun was without wireless and there were no guards on board.

The local offices of the China Merchants have received cable advices from Hongkong that the steamer Taishun, which left that port last Friday bound for Shanghai, was robbed near Swatow early Saturday morning, May 12. The passengers were robbed of their luggage and 3 cases of specs and 1 case jensen were lost. The engineer is slightly injured.

## THIS WEEK IS TO BE DECISIVE AT LAUSANNE MEET

### Battle Royal Expected On Capital Points In Dispute

*(Reuter's Service)*

Lausanne, May 13.—This week will probably be decisive with regard to the Conference. A battle royal may be expected with regard to the capital points in dispute, notably the judicial regime for foreigners in Turkey and the Turkish and Greek indemnities, in which connection the Greeks emphasise that if the Turks persist in demanding an indemnity, war will be resumed.

## *Japanese Traders Ask Soviet Pact*

*(Reuter's Pacific Service)*

Tokio, May 8.—The Tokio Chamber of Commerce in its general meeting held yesterday, passed among others a resolution to approach the Imperial Government with a request for an early resumption of commercial intercourse with Russia.

## ARTIFICIAL COTTON

*(Reuter's Service)*

London, May 13.—The Observer understands that Messrs. Courtaulds, Ltd., textile manufacturers have perfected a process for the manufacture of artificial cotton, but that at present the cost is too high to enable it to compete with the real article.

## IF THE CAPTIVES SUFFER IT'S DUE TO FOOL FRIENDS

### Visitors Eating Everything In Sight, Says Red Cross Official

The following letter, dated Lincheng Saturday morning, and addressed to the American Red Cross was written by Mr. Carl Crow:

"I telegraphed to you this morning to the effect that we have plenty of medical and other supplies and that provisions and medical supplies are going forward and being received by the captives. The Chinese officials are sending out messengers with cases of tinned foods, water, cigars, etc., every day, and a Chinese returned captive says he saw the bandits divide the supplies among the captives.

"Mr. Musso's doctor, Dr. Mertens, left for the bandit camp yesterday, and as a medical officer is with the captives there is very reason to believe that they are now being well fed and cared for.

"Dr. Heimburger, an American, of the Christian University at Tsinan, is here. Yesterday he and I inspected the hospital of the Chunghsing coal mine. It is very well equipped in every way, and has a large supply of medicines. The hospital is in the charge of Dr. Wu, a German-trained doctor, and has probably 12 to 15 interns.

"The only thing that would occasion a shortage of supplies would be the arrival of more visitors, friends and relatives of the captives. They eat regularly and copiously, as they have nothing else to do, and do nothing to help the situation.

"Arrangements are being made for a special train which will be brought to Lincheng as soon as news is received that the captives are released. There will be a separate department for each one, and everything possible has been arranged for their comfort.

"The Chinese officials have provided an assortment of hats, shoes, socks, trousers, coats, etc., so that every one will be cared for. Communication with the bandit camp is getting easier all the time and reports about the captives are more and more reassuring. There is absolutely no reason for friends or relatives of the captives to worry."

## NATURALLY!

BY LARRY LEHRBAS
*China Press Staff Correspondent*

Tsaochwang, May 14.—Send extra copies of THE CHINA PRESS for distribution among the captives. Every note that comes out of the different bandit camps asks for more copies. Be sure ample supply is mailed every day.

## NAME BODY HERE TO INVESTIGATE BANDIT ATTACK

### Various Guilds To Send Delegates; Say Chinese Captives Neglected

A committee to take up the matter of the Lincheng bandit attack was formed yesterday as a result of a meeting of representatives of the Canton Guild, the Ningpo Association, the Shaohsing Guild, the Tinghai Guild, the Woosung Guild, the Tungting Guild, the Kiangning Guild, the Wuchow Guild, the Fukien Guild, the Wusih Guild, the Wenchow Guild, the Huichow Guild and the Taiyang and other guilds.

Mr. Yuan Li-tung, a director of the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce, presided. The meeting elected Mr. Sung Pai-jui to proceed to the scene of the hold-up with provisions and medicine and investigate into the circumstances. Many telegrams were sent to the various government bureaus.

Civil Governor Hsiung Ping-chi was asked to show no partisan motive in securing the release of the foreign as well as Chinese captives. The meeting felt that up to the present, the welfare of the Chinese captives had been sadly neglected.

It was pointed out that while the officials in Shantung, Kiangsu and Anhui were to blame for the affairs, the Diplomatic agents in Peking who had been acquiescing in the sale of arms to China are also indirectly responsible for the hold-up. A telegram was sent to the Diplomatic Corps, urging that no more munitions be sold to the Peking government or to any military faction.

**DOCTOR WITH MUSSO**

With the exception of a telegram received by the local offices of Chevalier G. D. Musso, practically no telegraphic word from the scene of the raid reached the families of the captives here yesterday. The various Consulates also reported a dearth of news from their representatives at Lincheng and Tsaochwang.

The message received concerning Chev. Musso was as follows:

"Everything is all right, but it is very hard to send news. We are only ten miles from the bandits. Dr. Mertens is already with Commander Musso who is not well, but I really think all will be safe in a day or two. There are a lot of people with us. Yesterday Mr. Henley was sent down from the bandits and this morning he went back. He is a good fellow. Will cable as soon as we have further news.—Signed: Parlant."

## TO KEEP NAVY

*(Reuter's Service)*

Sydney, May 13.—Mr. Bowden the Minister of Defence, in a speech at Parramatta declared that it was not proposed to abolish the Australian Navy, but that the Imperial Conference must decide the best type of vessel.

**The Red Cross representatives here say that all necessary medical supplies have been received and forwarded, and that no more are needed at present. Assurances have been received that the supplies forwarded have been received by the captives.**

**Another letter received here from Major Pinger says: "It is most urgently recommended that the authorities be impressed with the necessity of withdrawing troops to Tsinanfu. If this is not done soon it may go hard with us. These men are not professional bandits and they are not holding us primarily for ransom, but to insure the withdrawal of troops. Delay is extremely dangerous. Our captors are having trouble feeding us.**

The Allen and Pinger boys said that as far as they could see all the captives were well and in good spirits. They said that shoes were urgently needed. They brought a letter from Emile Gensburger, addressed to his family, as follows: "Don't worry about us. We are having a good time. All feeling fine. Enjoying real country life. Please do not worry." (Signed) Emile.

A letter from Theo. Saphiere was also received, as follows: Don't worry. Feeling fine. The bandits are a social lot and are doing everything they can to make life pleasant for us."

The Elias brothers write in the same strain: "Never felt better in my life" Eddie writes. "Having good time. Feel like million dollars. Please have office extend my leave of absence a few days."

The Allen and Pinger boys remember Friedman, Saphiere, Powell, Elias, Gensburger and others by name, and say they were all in good spirits. They were enjoying a meal of pancakes, tea and boiled eggs when they left, the boys say.

Lee Solomon, another captive, was not quite so cheerful "Please get in touch with the Red Cross and ask them to send us food and medicine," he wrote. "Also telegraph my office that I am O. K. There are five in my group, Major Pinger; R. H. Rowlett, English; W. Smith, English; M. O. Berube, French; and C. Chen, Chinese. Our camp is anything but pleasant." (Signed) Lee Solomon.

**J. B. POWELL WRITES**

A letter from Mr. J. B. Powell, editor of the Weekly Review, which was forwarded to his family yesterday, gave a complete and graphic account of the experiences encountered by himself and the other foreigners in his group.

At the time of writing, Mr. Powell and five foreign companions were housed in one room of a small Buddhist temple, which the chief of the band in charge of them assured his captives was "as good as any foreign house."

The prisoners, Mr. Powell said, suffered greatly during the early stages of their capture. They

were not even allowed a drink of water until late Sunday, the outlaws using every drop that came into their hands.

Mr. Powell's letter gave the information that Mr. Henley was not definitely released by the bandits, but was put on parole and was pledged to return to the camp on Sunday night, after taking out messages from the chief and from foreign captives, including Mr. Powell's letter.

The release of the foreign women prisoners, Mr. Powell wrote, was effected by the men captives, who delivered an ultimatum to the robber leaders. The leaders demanded that the foreign captives write letters instructing the pursuing troops to stop firing. The men replied that they would only do so on condition that the women be set free.

Miss Coralti, Comm. Musso's secretary, who was in Mr. Powell's party, was forced by the bandits to start out with a message to the pursuers, but the firing was so heavy that she had to return.

A quizzical touch to Mr. Powell's account was his description of the party's being ushered into the temple which is their present abode. The bandit chieftain required each of his hostages to kow-tow to the temple Joss, explaining to them at the same time how fortunate they were to be given such shelter.

*(Reuter's Pacific Service)*

Peking, May 14.—According to a Chinese report, the Government contemplates organising special police to protect the Tientsin-Pukow Railway and placing Lt.-General Munthe, of the Chinese Legation Guard, in control.

*(Reuter's Pacific Service)*

Peking, May 14.—Mr. Jacobsen, who escaped last week, was taken to hospital yesterday, suffering from a nervous breakdown.

*(Reuter's Pacific Service)*

Peking, May 14.—The Civil Governor of Shantung has telegraphed to the Government reporting that the mediators have returned. He states that bandits persisted their demand that the troops should withdraw and that, accordingly, General Wu Chang-chih's brigade and the local protection troops withdrew as far as the villages of Woshankou and Machang. The Governor says that as he is complying with the brigands' demand there is no reason why the captives should not be relased.

*(Reuter's Pacific Service)*

Tsaochuang, May 14.—General Tien Chung-yu, the military Governor of Shantung, arrived here this morning and is understood to intend to stay until the prisoners are released.

*(Reuter's Pacific Service)*

Tsaochuang, May 13.—The mission to the brigands yesterday was apparently without result. Messrs. Anderson and Henley and a Chinese left this morning to continue negotiations.

It is understood that the bandits continue to ask for the withdrawal of the troops.

It is hoped that it will be possible to send down Major Allen and Mr. Musso today if only on parole.

All news is being censored.

*(Reuter's Pacific Service)*

Peking, May 14.—An important meeting of the Diplomatic Corps took place this morning at which, it is understood, the Ministers discussed the "sanctions" which will be imposed on the Government in view of the fact that the captives were not released by midnight on May 12, when the three days' ultimatum expired.

The Doyen of the Corps called on the Waichiaopu this afternoon and informed them of the sanctions. It is understood that he also informed the Government that the Corps would insist that immediate steps should be taken to reinforce the police and troops on all the important railways so as to safeguard foreign life and property, the Waichiaopu to inform the Corps as soon as possible what steps they had taken.

The Corps would then appoint a Commission of foreign officers to investigate the measures taken, for whom free transportation and every facility must be provided. When the investigations were completed and a report had been made, the Corps would reserve the right to take further steps if necessary, such as advocating the appointment of more police or other measures.

*(China Press Correspondence)*

Tsaochwang, May 14.—Roy Anderson, advisor to President Li, Mr. Wen Shih-tsen, Commissioner of Foreign Affairs at Nanking and Mr. Li Ling-kuo, government agent, accompanied by bandit representatives left this morning at 7 o'clock for the bandit camp with two car loads of provisions and medicine.

*(Reuter's Pacific Service)*

Peking, May 14.—The Peking British Chamber of Commerce today passed a resolution associating itself with other foreign organisations in expressing indignation at the Lincheng outrage and sympathy with the victims.

The Chamber is of the opinion that the fact that such an attack could be made by a large body of armed men on an express running on the main line of the trade and tourist traffic between Shanghai and the capital affords culminating evidence not only of the neglect by China to give effect to the Ninth Resolution of the Washington Conference on the subject of a reduction of her military forces but of the grave anarchy which has so long prevailed in this country.

This state of anarchy, the resolution continues, is due to the misrule by military leaders who have usurped the functions of the Government, and, for the restoration of law and order and the protection of the lives, property and treaty rights of foreigners, concerted action should be taken speedily by the Treaty Powers to obtain the effective disarmament and disbandment of superfluous Chinese armed forces, whether classified as troops or bandits, and the safe and efficient operation of the railways.

A copy of the resolution has been communicated to the British Minister.

Chinese newspapers in Shanghai had a report last night that eight of the 15 captives had been released as the result of the withdrawal of the government troops 30 li from Paotsuku, the bandit stronghold. This report has not been confirmed. The message adds that the Diplomatic Corps at a meeting yesterday afternoon decided to organise special police forces to guard the railroads.

*(Reuter's Pacific Service)*

Hankow, May 14.—One thousand soldiers, former bandits from Honan, have arrived at Kilometre 10 and are demanding $150,000 and ammunition as the price of their departure. Up to the present their demand has been refused.

Foreigners living nearby are alarmed and expect trouble.

The trains on the Peking-Hankow line are attaching armed cars, carrying 40 picked soldiers with machine-guns.

# *Aged Priest Gives Graphic Picture Of Trip To Bandit Stronghold To Aid Captives*

A thrilling picture of his endeavors to reach the bandit stronghold and treat for the release of the prisoners is given in a letter received here yesterday by Mr. Max Friedman, of the China Motors—whose brother, Leon Friedman, is held—from the Rev. Fr. William Lenfers, aged German Catholic priest of Lincheng.

Father Lenfers wrote at 10 o'clock last Saturday night from a bandit village in the mountains, having arrived there after great difficulties. As he wrote he was expecting the advent of the bandit chiefs. He was exhausted and ill, but hoped to retain enough strength to meet and parley with the outlaws.

Father Lenfers is one of the oldest mission workers in this country, having come to China from Germany nearly forty years ago. He was on the scene shortly after the attack on the train, and immediately set to work to send succor to the captives and try and effect their release. He is of the Mission of the Order of the Divine Word, the American headquarters of which are at Techny, Illinois.

The letter began in English but is for the most part in German and the text runs as follows:

TEXT OF LETTER

"Dear Mr. Friedman: I write badly. My hands are trembling and I am so ill I can scarcely stand.

"The American Minister told me in Lincheng I could help greatly and Consuls of other powers who were there promised if I would act they would give assurance that no question in the form of objections would be raised subsequently by the Chinese Government." (Father Lenfers' German nationality perhaps explains this paragraph). Continuing in German the letter says:

"Without making any announcement of my purpose I took a donkey and a servant and set out for the mountains.

"I proceeded as directly as I could and walked all through the day and late into the night, sometimes through fields, occasionally by rude narrow paths and over the roughest country. For long distances it was impossible to use the donkey.

"Through the day I had to go without food but I obtained the assistance of countrymen I met from time to time and was accompanied by several of these most of the way. At length I arrived very tired in the lower hills and it was in the early evening that I was stopped three times by soldiers who warned me not to try to proceed and did not want me to go higher into the mountains.

"A Christian, familiar with the country who knew the hidden pathways, at first refused to accompany me or, in fact, permit me to go on, but I was anxious to get to the captives and I prevailed upon him to give me assistance.

SEES SIGNAL LIGHTS

"Shortly after nightfall we came to a small isolated village clinging to the mountainside and here again after we had been halted by outposts I was warned not to try to go higher. One of the countrymen with me had a long parley with the sentries and after this we were permitted to pass on steadily climbing. On the way the man who had talked with the sentry told me we might be able to come into contact with the bandit leaders yet that night.

"I was almost exhausted then but we went on climbing slowly in the darkness and the road seemed to grow steeper and rougher at every step. Every mile of the way I could see signal lights gleaming far above on the heights. These would appear for a brief space and vanish to be answered from distant points. My poor servant contantly fell into holes or over rocks along the way and even the dockey often stumbled and fell. I kept my eyes on the ground in the narrow circle cast by our small lantern and contrived to avoid serious mishap.

"From time to time we passed outposts of one kind or another.

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# ANTI-JAPANESE BOYCOTT GAINS IN SZECHUEN

### Students And Others At Ichang Keep Up Agitation

*(Reuter's Pacific Service)*

Ichang, May 7.—Today, the anniversary of the presentation of the Twenty-One Demands to China by Japan, clearly displayed the growing strength of the opposition to Japan. Most of the shops in the city display a small flag with the characters "Remember the country's shame". Posters and handbills are being distributed broadcast, calling upon the people to redouble their efforts to make the boycott effective. All the schools hold parades and the students are standing at street corners and on busy thoroughfares exhorting the people to keep on the boycott. The leaders of the body of students had a map of Shantung with them and were pointing out the places on the map as they made their remarks. There seems little doubt that the boycott is beginning to be felt and Japanese commerce is faced with serious difficulties.

The Japanese steamers are the first to feel the boycott. Those plying between Hankow and Ichang are running very light and carrying but few passengers, while those between Ichang and Chungking have been so badly boycotted that their next sailing is uncertain and one of them has now lain here for a full week. Merchants in Szechuen have telegraphed that their orders are not to be despatched on Japanese steamers.

Steamers generally are not having a very busy season mainly owing to the uncertainty of the political situation in Szechuen, which is causing merchants to be cautious. Many of the steamers have already left for Chungking with very light cargoes.

Dr. William Kelly of the Salt Administration here has been transferred to Chungking and has been succeeded by Mr. Wolcott. This transfer is interesting in view of the fact that hitherto the Salt Administration has received no revenue from Szechuen. Now, however, General Wu Pei-fu has a hold on the province through General Yang Sen, and the transfer of Dr. Kelly may mean that the Central Government intends to make use of his experience to enable them to get its hands on the revenue again.

The water, which has taken a long time to get up to a steady height, is now rising fast and records 16' today.

# N. Y. K. TAKING GUEST PARTY ON TRIP TO JAPAN

In connection with the inauguration recently of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha's fast twenty-six hour service between Shanghai and Nagasaki, the company's new steamer Shanghai Maru leaves today with a party of Shanghai journalists and shipping men who will be the company's guests on a pleasure trip to Nagasaki, Unzen and adjacent points.

During the stay in Nagasaki the party will be entertained at tiffin at the Governor's residence and an extensive program of sightseeing has been arranged for Nagasaki and Unzen. The party leaves Nagasaki at 9 a.m. May 20, arriving back in Shanghai at 11 a.m. the following day.

Among those making the trip are: Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Butts, "The China Press;" Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Davey, "The Shanghai Mercury;" Mr. C. W. Hampson, "Shipping and Engineering;" Mr. Y. Ikeda, "The Eastern News Agency;" Mr. and Mrs. C. H. E. Lee, "The Evening News;" Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Nottingham, "The Shanghai Times;" Mr. G. Pearson, of Messrs. Thomas Cook and Son; Mr. George Bronson Rea, "The Far Eastern Review;" Mr. W. Turner, "Reuter;" and Mr. and Mrs. R. Wood, "The North China Daily News."

The party will be accompanied by Messrs. S. Kinoshita and S. Ihara of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha.

### REBEL SUPPRESSED

*(Reuter's Pacific Service)*

Canton, May 14.—An attack on Kongmoon by General Li Yao-hon formerly Civil Governor of Kwangtung, in an attempt to revolt against Dr. Sun Yat-sen, has been repulsed.

The Constitutionalist forces also report a success at Soochow in the fighting on the East River.

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### Speaking About Newsy Letters

By Bud Fisher

WHAT YOU LOOKING FOR, JEFF?
I WANT SOME WRITING PAPER! I AIN'T WRITTEN TO MY MOTHER SINCE I WENT TO EGYPT TO EXPLORE KING TUT'S TOMB!
AND THAT'S OVER FIVE WEEKS AGO! SHE'LL BE WORRIED ABOUT ME!
NEGLIGENCE, I CALLS IT!
HEY, MUTT! I'M STUCK ON THE VERY FIRST WORD! YOU'RE EDUCATED — MAYBE YOU CAN HELP ME OUT!
I SAID "DEAR MOTHER";— AND NOW I WANT TO SAY "BANANAS ARE EXPENSIVE IN LONDON;" BUT I CAN'T — SPELL BANANAS!
THAT'S EASY! JUST REMEMBER EVERY OTHER LETTER IS AN "A".
I KNOW THAT BUT I DON'T KNOW WHEN TO STOP! BANANANA-NA
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# *Chinese Church Workers Ask Foreign Understanding*

(Continued from Page 1)

must join the Church Universal in declaring against war actually practised on the battlefield and war disguised under the cloak of an unjust peace".

LIKE GROWING CHILD

Professor Lew interpreted the young church of China as being in some ways like a growing child who had both the limitations and power of youth. He also challenged the Church of China to hard work for the maintenance of her life in a distintegrating world.

"In the family," said Prof. Lew, referring to the universal Christian church, "which depends for its existence on hard work, each member, even the youngest, has to perform some productive service. The churches of the West should at the same time remember that to make both ends meet there should be coordination, and that this new church must not be crushed by having too much work assigned to her."

One of Professor Lew's most original points was that the church of China, as part of the universal church, may also be compared to one of a company of artists in a great studio, that out of the national church life which she has developed may come a unique contribution from the beauty and strength of Chinese life which will be a gift to all the world.

In order to take her place in relation to the church movement of the world, Dr. Lew stated that there must be more intimate communication between Christianity in China and in the West. He pledged for a continuation of the work of interpreting China which has already been done so ably by the missionaries, but which now must be done also through the more direct channel of Chinese interpreters. The work of presenting China to the Western countries should not be merely denominational but should present the work of the church in China as a whole. It should not err in being either too favorable or too pessimistic, but should present China as she is in both her discouraging and her hopeful elements.

There should be more exchange of delegates between East and West. He referred to the fact that Chinese people studying abroad are too often made to represent their country as if they were part of a show instead of accredited representatives of the best in Chinese national life. There should be more of the latter type of delegates between the two halves of the world, and in that relation Dr. Lew referred cordially to the presence of Dr. Sidney L. Gulick at yesterday's session, representing the Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in America.

Some of China's social problems are too great to be talked alone, said Dr. Lew, and such matters as the opium problem should be studied in co-operation with other countries. Social and industrial experts from the West should be secured to assist China to Christianise the industrial system and to start industrial education under Christian auspices. Dr. Lew also placed strong emphasis on the need for developing a spirit of international goodwill in China and charged the Christian church to make this a direct object of its prayer.

DR. GULICK SPEAKS

The morning session was closed by an address from Dr. Sidney L. Gulick, who brought messages from the Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in America. Dr. Gulick said that the dominating impresssion he was ready to take back from China was that of an extraordinary miracle having taken place in the conciliation of races as evidenced for example by the spirit of goodwill between the West and Chinese in the National Council. He stated that he had come prepared to urge the vital need of the church considering the creation of international goodwill as one of its main functions, but found that there was no need of his stressing what has already been so strongly emphasised by the Chinese themselves. After sketching something of the work of the Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in securing such a national protest against militarism, as led directly to the calling of the Washington conference, Dr. Gulick begged the National Council to include in its new organisation a standing committee on international relations.

This morning's session is of special interest to Shanghai residents as it is to consider the practical problems of the creation of Christian sentiment in public opinion upon industrial and moral problems.

The afternoon session will be given to plans for the educational This literary work of the church.

### BOMB SUSPECT

*(Reuter's Service)*

New York, May 14.—The police today arrested a young Russian Communist, named Noah Lerner, on the charge of causing the Wall Street explosion in September, 1920, when 34 persons were killed and 100 injured. Lerner recently returned to New York from Russia.

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# MILLARD GOES TO OLYMPIAD TO SEE SOCCERITES

### Hopes To Get Line On Candidates For Australian Team

Mr. H. A. Millard, the Australian football delegate at present in Shanghai organising the team of Chinese soccer players to tour Australia commencing next month left for Japan on the Shanghai Maru this morning to attend the Olympiad at Osaka as an official guest.

Mr. Millard is to deliver a series of talks dealing with sport and athletics in Australia, before the General Executive of the Far Eastern Athletic Association and the public. He has a well matured plan to submit to the Executive which, if accepted, will mean a decided advancement of the Oriental athlete into a new world.

The team to tour Australia will be finally chosen immediately after the conclusion of the games. Passages have been looked on the Tango Maru for the team who will leave Shanghai on June 12. It is possible that the whole of the team will be chosen from Central and North China. The final selection will be published at the beginning of June.

CUBITT LEFT FOR AUSTRALIA

Mr. L. Cubitt, who has been in China for the purpose of coaching the Rugby team it was originally intended to procure left on Friday last for Australia to assist in the final arrangements for the reception of the soccer team throughout Australia.

The first match will be played in Sydney on Saturday, July 14.

The team will return in October after having visited all the States.

## The Del Monte

One of the most beautiful and quite the most ambitious ballet ever put on in a Shanghai Cafe is that which is now running at the Del Monte under the title of the Ballet of King Tut. Surely that worthy bit of antiquity would have said, could he have been present last night, that Egypt in all its glory had nothing like this dance in which a dozen graceful maidens weave the mazes.

The success of the ballet is such that Sunday night, usually a quiet one, every table was occupied with eager spectators whose applause was index of their appreciation of this beautiful ballet. Miss Elvira Petty in her gypsy dance was warmly encored as were the Hungarian dancers, Misses Mary Roman and Lona Hunter. A new feature of the program was Miss Muretta's "baby" dance which is the "curtain raiser" and is put on at 10:30 o'clock. Miss Muretta is filled with the poetry of motion and her lissome figure, bendy as a willow wand, speaks forth the message of youth in every step and gesture.

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# China Press Sports

EVEN SENSIBLE MEN LIKE TO NIBBLE AT FLATTERY ONCE IN A WHILE

## Yacht Club Holds First Cruise; Middleton's Yawl Captures Initial Event

### Fine Weather Favors Sportsmen, Who Have Good Program Of Events And Enjoy An Enjoyable Day's Sailing

Almost ideal weather conditions favored the members of the Shanghai Yacht Club, who were present in large numbers, on the occasion of the Opening Cruise for the Season, on Sunday. The day broke most unpropitiously with heavy rain and at one time the postponment of the cruise was seriously considered. Fortunately, however, conditions rapidly improved, the start being delayed for only half an hour.

At 9:30 a.m. the fleet got under weigh, on a course up river, led by the Commodore, Mr. E. T. Byrne, in the "Violet," followed by the Vice Commodore, Mr. T. Mellows, in the "Haikuan" and Mr. H. E. Middleton, Hon. Secretary, in the "Haven." Among other yachts taking part in the cruise were the "Dorothea L." Mr. C. E. Lintilhac, Rear Commodore; "Eveline," Mr. O. Bersani; "Undine," Mr. H. M. Mann; "Ella," Mr. H. E. Jones; "Monsoon," Mr. E. Krogseth, and each had a full complement of members aboard.

The flagship "Foam," the Club's floating headquarters, was towed to a rendezvous at the top of the Pagoda Reach, having aboard a large number of members and guests.

On coming up with her, about 11:30 a.m., the various yachts berthed alongside, owners, members and guests going aboard the flagship where the usual formalities were observed.

By this time weather conditions were ideal and owners took parties of non-owning members and guests for a short sail in their respective yachts before tiffin.

During the afternoon two short races were held over a triangular course, open to all comers. These were arranged by the Vice Commodore who, with the Hon. Secretary, remained on board the flagship to take the times and work out the handicaps. Sailing conditions were very good indeed, there being a steady W.N.W. breeze blowing. Five yachts entered, all looking very smart after their recent overhaul, and some excellent sailing was witnessed.

Mr. H. E. Middleton's yawl "Haven" repeated her performance of last year by winning the first race of the season. Her greatly improved appearance and increased speed, as a result of her new rig, were the subject of general comment and she was much admired by those who visited her during the day.

The detailed results of these two races follow:

FIRST RACE

Mr. H. E. Middleton's Haven 1.
Mr. T. Mellows' Haikuan 2.
Mr. H. E. Jones' Ella 3.
Mr. E. T. Byrne's Violet 4.
Mr. E. Krogseth's Monsoon 5.

SECOND RACE

Mr. H. E. Jones' Ella 1.
Mr. E. Krogseth's Monsoon 2.
Mr. H. E. Middleton's Haven 3.
Mr. T. Mellows' Haikuan 4.
Mr. E. T. Byrne's Violet 5.

Handicaps for the second race were based on the result of the first race.

A most enjoyable day's sailing was brought to a successful conclusion by an informal handicap race back to Shanghai. It was a dead beat all the way and during the race the wind freshened very considerably. Some of the smaller and more open boats made heavy weather, especially through the narrow junk anchorage, shipping a good deal of water and giving the yachtsmen a thorough wetting.

The result of the race was as under:

Mr. T. Mellows' Haikuan 1.
Mr. E. T. Byrne's Violet 2.
Mr. H. E. Middleton's Haven 3.
Mr. H. E. Jones' Ella 4.
Mr. E. Krogseth's Monsoon did not finish.

The day's program was carried out without a hitch of any kind and was voted by all present one of the most successful and enjoyable Opening Cruises the Club has held for some years.

## Light Horse Monthly Shoot

The Light Horse held their May Monthly Cup Competition last Saturday at 6 o'clock. The weather conditions were good and the following were the best scores returned:

| | 100 yds. | 200 yds. | 300 yds. | Total | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| "A" Class | | | | | |
| H. P. S. | 25 | 20 | 20 | 65 | |
| 2/Lt. Trenchard-Davis, M.C. | 25 | 19 | 17 | 61 net | (a) |
| Trpr. Thompson | 20 | 18 | 20 | 58 net | |
| Cpl. Millington | 20 | 15 | 19 | 54 net | |
| "B" Class | | | | | |
| Trpr. Schweizer | 25 | 14 | 13 | 52 net | (b) |
| Trpr. Braad Sorensen | 20 | 13 | 15 | 48 net | |
| L/Cpl. Mellor | 20 | 16 | 11 | 47 net | |

(A) Winner of Spoon and first leg on Cup. Future Handicap 3½%.
(B) Winner of Spoon. Future Handicap 3½%.

## A Letter From Mr. Morriss

*To the Sports Editor:*

In reading your notes in the sporting section in one of your recent issues with regard to racing, I think it must be quite clear to all racing people that the term "declaring to win" with a certain pony when two or more start from the same stable in a race, is not correctly understood by you, so I am sure you will not take it amiss if I point it out to you, as there are a whole lot of people who also labor under a misunderstanding in this connection. The only meaning of "declaring to win" with a certain pony (such as in last Tuesday's 7th race—"Glenfield") when in the same race Letchfield also started, is that, the pony not declared has a legitimate right, should he be winning, to "pull up" in favor of the one "declared," when without the "declaration," he would be had up before the Stewards for an explanation for "pulling."

My reason for declaring "Glenfield" in last Tuesday's 7th race, was to save "Letchfield" having too hard a race, in order he might be fresher for the 3rd race, last Wednesday's and that being so, to save the public from taking him too seriously in their betting places in the parimutuel, in last Tuesday's race.

To show you how many people are mistaken on the point under discussion, I can relate an amusing incident when one meeting for the champions a few years ago, I started Castlefield and Beaconsfield, and declared to win with the latter, who was 3rd and "Castlefield" won. A friend of mine returning to Tientsin after that meeting overheard the following conversation in the railway car of two men also returning to Tientsin, and reported it to me later.

A. You know sometimes I think the racing in Shanghai isn't quite straight, as they go in for such "ramps," down there.

B. Yes, and look what a "kill" they must have had over the champions, when Morriss declared to win with Beaconsfield, and did the trick with Castlefield.

A. Yes, and there's a chap who is supposed to have quite a good name too!

I am yours truly,
H. E. Morriss.

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OHMR. GOOGLE YOU'RE SO DRAMATIC !!!
YES SUH!
BEGGING YOUR PARDON, MISS, THE COLONEL IS HERE
OH!
WHAT THE BLUE BLAZES DOES HE WANT ??
MR. GOOGLE - WOULD YOU MIND GOING INTO THE CLOSET & HURRY - IT MIGHT EMBARRASS THE COLONEL IF HE SHOULD SEE YOU HERE
OH, COLONEL, I ENJOYED THE RIDE SO MUCH.
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## Shanghai Wins From U.S.S. Rainbow

The Shanghai baseball team won the first "official" game of the season Sunday by defeating the nine from the U.S. Rainbow in a fairly closely contested game at the race track grounds. The score was 4 to 2.

Foley who twirled for the submariners held the Shanghai players hitless and runless for four innings when he faltered in the last three innings, with a sore arm. Submariners did all of their scoring in the third and fourth innings while the Locals bunched their hits in the eighth. It was a fatal inning for the submariners. Smith came to bat and singled, then came Howland who also singled, scoring Smith and taking second. Bills then got a hit scoring Howland and after that came two outs. Bills scored on Scott's three bagegr and Bruce brought him home but died on base and that ended Shanghai's batting spree.

Both pitchers did fine work on the mound by adding to their credit a great many strike-outs besides each getting a three bagger.

Now that the races are over there probably will be league games every week-end. According to Manager Gallop it is probable that there will be four more games with the submarine fine this week, two of which will come during the week while there will be two more over the week-end.

Sunday's box score follows:

| Shanghai | Ab | R | H | Po | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Bills, ss | 3 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 0 |
| Pepper, rf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Farmer, rf | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Taylor, 1b | 3 | 0 | 0 | 12 | 1 | 0 |
| Scott, p | 4 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Bruce, c | 3 | 0 | 1 | 9 | 1 | 2 |
| Posnocki, cf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Wynn, lf | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 |
| Taylor, lf | 2 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Smith, 2b | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Howland, 3rd | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 5 | 1 |
| Total | 30 | 4 | 8 | 27 | 10 | 4 |

| Submarines | Ab | R | H | Po | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Lawson, lf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| Gubbins, 3b | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Gaskill, 2b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Ward, c | 4 | 1 | 1 | 12 | 2 | 0 |
| Martin, ss | 4 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Milliken, 1b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| Collette, cf | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Watters, rf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Foley, p | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Total | 33 | 2 | 5 | 24 | 5 | 3 |

| By innings | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Shanghai | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | total |
| Hits | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 5 | | 8 |
| Runs | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | | 4 |
| Submarines | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | total |
| Hits | 0 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 5 |
| Runs | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |

Summary—Struckout by Scott, 9 by Foley 12. Bases on balls—Foley 1. Hit by pitcher—Bills Sacrifice hits—Bruce. Stolen bases—Bruce, Howland. Three base hits—Scott, Foley. Earned runs—Submarines—1. Time of game—1 hours, 30 minutes. Umpire—O'Brien.

## Newman Loses In Billiards Final

*(Reuter's Service)*

London, May 12.—At Holborn Hall today Smith defeated Newman, the holder, in the final of the Professional Billiards Championship.

The final scores were: Smith 16,000 and Newman 15,180.

## 103 ENTERED IN ANNUAL SHOOT OF RIFLE ASS'N

### Matches To Take Place Over Week Ends This Month

One hundred and three entries were received for the 1923 annual rifle meeting, which will take place on Saturdays and Sundays 19th, 20th, 26th and 27th instant. Entries were closed on Saturday at noon. Entries received after date will be treated as post entries, and will cost $5.

The Chinese Co. again tops the list with 16 entries, American Co. and Japanese Co. 12 each and B. I. Reserves 11.

Following are the names of entrants:

"A1" CLASS—26

C. Bedoni, J. S. Chen, A. M. Collaco, K. D. Chen, C. G. Hoh, F. E. Hodges, O. L. Ilbert, R. I. Ito, B. S. Jenkins, D. W. Kan, W. O. Lancaster, Geo. Lynch, J. R. Main, G. M. Neal, H. Noishiki, T. S. Parry, W. T. Rose, S. A. Ransom, J. A. Rebsamen, C. M. Sequeira, H. Tobias, L. K. Taylor, C. E. M. Thomson, W. J. Terrill, Y. C. Waung and C. Reeves.

"A" CLASS—18

R. H. Ballock, G. H. G. Caulton, H. J. Cordner, A. C. Davis, A. F. Diniz, F. Gates, H. W. Lambert, C. J. Langley, A. L. Mottu, K. McKelvie, Y. Hori, I. Nelleman, V. Olsen, A. H. Swan, P. G. Tate, C. Weber, M. Tsukasaki and Z. T. Yang.

"B" CLASS—22

W. M. Awad, G. Archer, E. W. Burgess, E. L. Boyde, A. T. Cooper, R. Davie, E. W. D. Elmer, A. E. Collins, Y. S. Fong, G. E. Goolday, E. N. Harry, H. D. Holt, R. M. Jordan, G. V. Jensen, Leighton, C. H. Liu, T. Ohshima, V. Sharman, C. Smith, A. W. Slater, J. M. Watson and G. Wilder.

"C" CLASS—17

R. W. Burton, F. M. Cruz, A. Dahl, K. T. Doo, F. Diniz, A. C. Godby, Wm. Hu, S. Kikuta, C. S. Kemp, N. S. Li, J. R. Moodie, H. G. Mende, S. Matsushita, W. G. Nops, P. Reilly, T. Watanabe and T. Yasukawa.

"D" CLASS—20

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London, May 12.—The result of the Great Jubilee Handicap (One and a quarter miles) run at Kempton today was as follows:

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## WETHERED WINS GOLF TITLE IN FINAL AT DEAL

### Defeats Robert Harris, 7 And 6; Ouimet Out In Semi-Final

*(Reuter's Service)*

Deal, May 12.—In the final of the Amateur Golf Championship Mr. Roger Wethered (Worplesdon) beat Mr. Robert Harris (Royal and Ancient) by seven up and six to play.

*(Reuter's Service)*

Deal, May 11.—In the semi-final of the Amateur Golf Championship Mr. Roger Wethered defeated Mr. Francis Ouimet by two up and one to play.

Thousands of spectators followed the players. Wethered was two up at the turn. The tenth and eleventh were halved and Wethered won the next two. Ouimet won the fourteenth and fifteenth while the sixteenth and seventeenth were halved.

## CLAY PIGEON SHOOT

The Shanghai Clay Pigeon Club opened its season Sunday with a shoot for the "Old Bill" Cup, presented by Mr. E. Oxley Cumming the conditions being 50 birds. The shooting was excellent, but later, when the sky became overclouded and a tricky wind arose, the results were not so good. There was a tie between Himrod and Gande, but on the count out Himrod won. Details:—

| | Score | H'cap | Total. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Himrod | 43 | 5 | 48 |
| Gande | 45 | 3 | 48 |
| Gibson | 39 | 3 | 42 |
| Real | 40 | 2 | 42 |
| Keylock | 38 | 4 | 42 |
| McEuen | 36 | 6 | 42 |
| Tuxford | 34 | 7 | 41 |
| C. McBain | 31 | 7 | 38 |
| Pirie | 29 | 5 | 34 |
| W. R. McBain | 23 | 7 | 20 |
| Weinberg | 12 | 8 | 20 |

Mr. Oxley Cumming presented the prize to the successful competitor. Following this shoot there was a pool competition which was won by Pirie.

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# Minister Schurman Takes Pulpit At Shanghai College

Dr. Jacob Gould Schurman, former president of Cornell University, now Minister from the United States to China, gave a most inspiring and interesting address at the regular Sunday morning service at Shanghai College to the assembled students and faculty.

President White, in introducing the speaker, referred to Doctor Schurman's interest in the Chinese people and said that he was not only the representative of the American Government to China, but that he was also one who represented China to America. The speaker cordially assented to this idea and said that he had taken pains to learn something about China by travelling far and wide through all her provinces. He said: "I have been everywhere well received and am truly grateful for the hospitality showered upon me."

"The young men and young women," continued Minister Schurman, "who have the privilege of a college education in China today are the elect of the world. There is much in the ancient religions of China and in her books of philosophy which is excellent. I am a diligent student of them and I find material for inspiration and for spiritual stimulus. But in the religion of Jesus Christ there is some additional truth, which is referred to when Jesus said: 'I am come that you may have life and that you may have it more abundantly.' Christianity has to give China this more abundant life.

"I have read with great interest the accounts of the National Christian Council which is meeting in your city at this time; and I was particularly struck by a phrase in the report that was made at one of the meetings that the Christian church is to become self-supporting, self-governing, and self-propagating in this land. It is not to be a foreign importation. Even the Christian colleges which have been founded by Western churches, such as Shanghai College, will become a part of the national schools of China, not government schools, but privately managed and endowed like many similar great universities in America."

Doctor Schurman said:

"If ever there was a time when China needed help from outside to develop her educational work, it is now. There is a vast work to be done in China to educate the ninety percent of illiterates of the population which constitutes one-fourth of the population of the world. Both radicals and conservatives in China must feel thankful to those who are establishing schools here.

"As to curriculum, the old educational system of China had much in its favor. It consisted of training in the Classics, and was in some respects similar to the old time educational system of the west. It also had its limitations. It limited the horizon of its pupils to what was in the Classics. It developed the power of memory, and taught men to conserve the past. But it did almost nothing to train the faculties of observation and the powers of exactly recording those observations. That," said the speaker, "is what is most needed in China today."

"One of the best means of learning to observe and to record one's observations accurately is by the study of modern physical science. Whenever a teacher can train, no, stimulate a student to be self-creative so that he has the power not simply of imitating or of recalling but of creating a solution for some original problem, then he will really be in a position of helping his country.

Doctor Schurman quoted the words of a Professor of Philosophy who had been at Cornell for over twenty-five years, who said that of all the students who had ever studied at Cornell the ablest one was a Chinese, who was now Doctor Hu Suh' of Peking. This shows what the Chinese mind can become when it obtains Western training.

"It is an old saying that China needs leaders, men of initiative, for the salvation of the country, politically and otherwise. China's material industry needs men of education who are willing to do the routine tasks. Leadership does not necessarily mean holding office. What every democracy needs is enlightened public opinion among the rank and file of the business men, traders, and agriculturists, which would establish a stable and efficient government."

Doctor Schurman's closing words were very striking and cordial.

"Keep in mind this high calling. Prepare yourselves to be leaders in whatever you undertake. Create a sound public opinion. I envy you your opportunity, but with that opportunity goes also a great responsibility. May you realise both your opportunity and your responsibility."

What the American University Club might do in hastening China's establishing of a stable government was the theme of an eloquent address delivered yesterday by Dr. Jacob Schurman, United States Minister to Peking, who was entertained by the local University Club at tiffin at the Old Carlton. More than 150 attended. Mr. H. Y. Moh, president of the club, occupied the chair while Consul-General Edwin S. Cunningham formally introduced the speaker to the audience.

In calling on the minister to speak, Mr. Cunningham described the guest of honor as a man who was perhaps better fitted than any other to address such an audience. Not only had Mr. Schurman been an educationalist, inspiring many a young man in his pursuit of college education, but he had also distinguished himself in law, literature and diplomacy.

The old time diplomat was quite satisfied to remain in Peking and get whatever information he could from outside by correspondence, Mr. Cunningham said, but Minister Schurman had not only been in personal touch with all the officials, but also with the leaders in every walk of life in China. He had realised the inadequacy of the practice of the old style diplomats, so he had visited the remote corners of the Chinese Republic to familiarise himself with local conditions.

### MINISTER SPEAKS

In rising to speak, Minister Schurman said that he only wished to claim two of the qualifications attributed to him by the Consul-General in his kind and eloquent words. First, as president of Cornell where he served for 28 years, he had handed out 17,500 of the 20,000 diplomas issued before the 50th anniversary in 1919. At the anniversary celebration, Dr. Schurman handed out the 50,000th diploma. The second qualification was that he had travelled about 1,500 miles in China, having gone through practically all the provinces and journeyed along the entire system of railroads. He had met all Chinese leaders, with the exception of, perhaps, Dr. Sun Yat-sen, whom he missed in Canton, because the latter was then in Kweiling, and he was looking forward to the near future to meet the Constitutional leader.

"Since receiving your invitation," continued Dr. Schurman, "I have been asking myself what a club like yours consisting of graduates from American colleges, might do for China. Two or three things have come to my mind which might be useful to the members, especially the Chinese members, by way of suggestion."

Here the Minister expressed his disappointment with most of the University Clubs in America, because they did not represent the American college traditions and did not maintain the university ideals as they should. The Minister has visited the University clubs in New York, Buffalo, Washington, Chicago and San Francisco and other places but he felt dissatisfied because there was nothing to distinguish them from other clubs.

### IN UNIQUE POSITION

But here in China, the University Club was in a unique position and some very important service might be rendered to the country, the Minister asserted. First, the promotion of fellowship such as gatherings of yesterday's nature, would make two races come to better understanding. Better understanding meant better appreciation for each other's viewpoints. The more we understood a person, the more good we could find in him. There might be great differences between two peoples, but an understanding would attract each more closely to the other. The great service which the club members might do, Dr. Schurman said, was to interpret America to China in her proper light and to interpret China to America correctly.

Secondly, it was incumbent upon the university man to work for the educational progress of the nation. Due to political reasons, there were fewer schools in China than at the outset of the Republic. Only about nine-tenths of the people were able to read and write.

"Perhaps the Chinese members here might find something in America worthy of imitation," said Dr. Schurman. "Before the United States had state colleges, educational institutions were mostly fostered by private individuals or religious bodies. During this period of educational paralysis, it might be well that private educational institutions be established.

"You have examples already in Nankai and Amoy. China may have to pass through the same stage as the United States; private individuals and institutions may have to establish schools and support them long before the state would take them over. You must remember that while you yourselves have been blessed with a college education, there are millions of other young men and women who are yearning for an opportunity to get educated.

### TO AID GOVERNMENT

"Coming to my third point, I believe you can assist in establishing a stable government by co-operating with the business man. The unfortunate political situation effects China and the Chinese primarily and the foreigners indirectly. As a nation which has altruistically assisted China in every worthy movement, my country is anxious to see China have a stable government. Although here you have a Republic, you cannot expect everybody to be interested in politics.

"As I said before, only one-tenth are able to read and write while the majority of the educated are struggling for their own living in such a way that they would not care for politics. From time immemorial, politics in China has always been left in the hands of a chosen few, a select class to conduct the affairs of the country. To my mind, there are only two classes of people that would help materially in re-establishing stable, civil government in China. One of these is the class that I see before me; the leaders who have been abroad and know the modernised ways. The other is the solid material of the country, the business men. If the intellectual classes, represented by the educationalists and the business men, can join hands and work for the reunification of China, I believe you will have sound government before very long.

"The business men, like those in America, are conservative and will neglect their political duties. But when bad government touches their pockets, they would rise to political activities and set their house in order."

Minister Schurman concluded by paying a high tribute to the old traditions of Chinese civilisation and expressed the hope that before long China might make such contributions to modern civilisation as she might be justly proud of.

Among the guests present at the tiffin yesterday were Judge Charles S. Lobingier, General Ho Feng-lin, Mr. J. Harold Dollar, Commissioner of Foreign Affairs Hsu Yuan, Captain A. Sinclair Smith, Mr. J. A. Thomas, Major A. Bassett, Dr. Fong Sec, Mr. N. L. Han, Mr. J. B. Sawyer, Mr. John Kreis, Mr. William Lockwood, Mr. George A. Fitch, Mr. S. D. Ren, Mr. H. B. Lane, Mr. Quo Tai-chi, Mr. Loy Chang, Mr. O. S. Watson, Mr. J. P. Davis, Dr. J. B. Fearn, Dr. F. L. Hawks Pott, Mr. F. Brockman, Canadian Trade Commissioner J. Ross, Mr. Lansing Hoyt, Mr. A. R. Hager, Mr. Jabin Hsu and W. W. Bartlett.

Dr. Schurman, accompanied by Consul-General Edwin S. Cunningham visited the Mixed Court yesterday afternoon and was the guest of honor at a dinner given by the Consul-General at the latter's home last night. Local Chinese officials and the Consuls of the various nations represented in China were also guests.

Minister Schurman will be the guest of honor at a reception to be given by the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce tomorrow afternoon at 4:30 o'clock. He will leave for North China Thursday morning, expecting to arrive in Peking Sunday morning.

Dr. Schurman, together with Mr. Edwin S. Cunningham, Consul-General for the United States, Judge Charles S. Lobingier of the United States Court for China and Captain Briggs of the Submarine Flotilla on Sunday visited the new building of the Navy Y. M.C.A. now under construction. They were shown round by Mr. A. C. Ellis, secretary.

The formal opening will take place in October when the United States fleet with the Admiral will be here. The structure will cost G.$150,000, the money having been raised in New York. It is being built by the Army and Navy Department of the International Committee of the Y.M.C.A.

From Shanghai the Naval work will be conducted for the Yangtsze River Patrol, while the branches at Hankow and Chefoo will co-operate.

# Aged Priest Gives Graphic Picture Of Trip To Bandits

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and there were other evidences that the forbidding darkness above us was well peopled as noises reached us from time to time, but through this long walk no further efforts were put forth to stop us.

"It was 10 o'clock at night when at length we arrived at the village which I had been given to understand was one of the main headquarters of the bandits of that district. This village, I had been told, had a population of two thousand, all brigands, but when we arrived it seemed deserted. Not a single light appeared in any of the shadowy structures and the houses that we went to appeared to be tenantless and as still as death. For a breathing space we sat down for a time in the roadway.

"One of the Chinese at length ventured timidly to enter court yard of one of the houses and after about a quarter of an hour he came back and I then was permitted to go into the place which was lighted only by our lanterns.

### LEFT IN DARKNESS

"I found two aged and decrepit creatures in tattered garments who had been sleeping on piles of rags. A broken chair, the one piece of furniture I saw, was given to me and I was so exhausted that I fell asleep almost the instant I sank into it.

"Then our poor lantern spluttered and went out and the Chinese were unable to obtain more kerosine. I returned into the roadway when I saw nothing more was to be gained from the aged brigands inside and using my covering I had been carrying I sank down in the road. My servant contrived to get me some tea.

"Some time later I was called and was told that the bandits were coming, but I might have to proceed forty li to meet them. I was feeling terribly ill and I kneeled and sent up a prayer to God to give me strength.

"Then I sent out one of the men to inquire if it would not be possible for me to talk to the bandit chieftain that might and the word brought back was that the bandit leaders would be in the village at 8 o'clock in the morning. From time to time I then began seeing groups of younger men of wild appearance who held themselves aloof. They were not armed.

"I was told then that money was not wanted for the release of the foreign captives. The bandits, it seems, were demanding that the troops that had been harassing them at the foot of the mountain should be sent away and it was also demanded that all the bandits be enrolled in the military forces and be supplied with soldiers' equipment. They all wanted to be soldiers.

"More I cannot write now. I am too ill. I will write again after I see the leaders."

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Two big trans-Pacific mail boats are arriving in Shanghai from American ports this week-end, while mail from Europe came in yesterday morning on the P. & O. steamer Kashgar.

The Kashgar which came from London via ports, docked at the Shanghai and Hongkew Wharf at 11 o'clock yesterday morning, and will probably sail for Japanese ports tomorrow.

The Empress of Canada of the Canadian Pacific is due at Woosung next Friday and will sail for Hongkong the same day. The vessel should arrive at Yokohama from Vancouver yesterday.

A heavy mail from the United States is expected in Shanghai on the President McKinley next Saturday. The liner was due at Yokohama from Seattle yesterday

Mail for Europe will be dispatched on the N.Y.K. liner Kitano Maru early Saturday morning, closing at 2 and 3 o'clock Friday afternoon for registered and ordinary matter. The tender with outgoing passengers for the steamer will leave the Customs jetty at 5 o'clock Friday evening.

The next mail for American ports will go on the Empress of Asia Saturday, and arriving in Vancouver via Nagaski, Kobe and Yokohama on June 4.

The President Grant which arrived from Hongkong last Saturday, sailed for Seattle Sunday morning, and is expected to arrive there via Kobe and Yokohama on May 29.

## China's Mints Are In Nervous State

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their requirements. The local rate is Tls. 10.50 per picul.

TIN IS "LIFELESS"

The large tin consuming district of Shaohsing has been entirely out of the market, and tin is, therefore, lifeless. The people in that district are busy silk-rearing and in sowing. Shanghai stocks of Hongkong tin are estimated at about 1,000 slabs, and the quotation is Tls. 72 per picul. Straits tin is quoted at about Tls. 85.

The price of lead has been declining, and buyers are waiting for lower parcels. The present stock of 1,000 tons is just sufficient to cover our needs for two months. Buyers are offering Tls. 10.20 per picul while sellers demand Tls. 11, with the consequent result that business is difficult to put through.

The American steel market is fairly steady at present rates, but London seems to be depressed. There is lack of interest in ruling quotations. The American steel mills appear to be well supplied with orders. The United States Steel Corporation is working 95 percent, which is record, for the general percentage is between 50 to 70. The United States Steel Corporation on March 31 had 7,405,332 tons of unfilled orders on its books, or 119,343 tons more than reported for February 28, and the largest amount since January, 1921, when unfilled tonnage stood at little over 7½ million tons.

The recent high prices of metals has stimulated production. Tin has been steadily dropping, the London market being once more in the dumps. The opinion is expressed that the United States is likely to make purchases on a large scale. In the meantime the Straits Government must be sorry that it did not unload a portion of its large holdings.

The following are London quotations of May 11: Copper £67.10 for spot and £63.7.6 future; electrolytic copper £78 spot and £79 future; tin £205.2.6. per ton spot and £204.12.6 future; lead £26 spot and £24.10 future; spelter £30 spot and £30.10 future; antimony £25.10; tinplates £24.12.6; and quicksilver £10.2.6

Compared with the following rates of April 10 the declines have been big in certain lines: Standard copper £73.10, tin £215.2.6, lead £27.15, spelter £35 and electrolytic copper £82.

New York quotations on May 10 were: Electrolytic copper 16⅛, steel bars $2.67 per 100 lbs., zinc $7 per 100 lbs., pig tin $44, aluminium $27.25, lead $7.37, galvanised sheets $5.37, tinplates $5.75 per case, pig iron $30.50, and black sheets $3.92 per 100 lbs.

In the tabulated list of Chinese bank earnings there were a couple of discrepancies. The South Sea Bank dividend for 1922 should be 11 and not 16. The reserve of this Bank stands today at Tls. 84,516. In the case of the Chinese-American Bank the deposits should read G$7,066,299, which is exceedingly good on a paid-up capital of G.$5,000,000. This Bank has undivided profits of G $480,215. The Directors of the Chinese-American Bank must be congratulated in carrying forward this sum and not distributing it among the shareholders. The policy is sound and we hope will be adopted by all Chinese banks, in conserving their resources.

## Tobacco Prices

The General Agent of the Shanghai Sumatra Tobacco Company, Limited, has received the following telegraphic advice from the Deli Maatschappij, Amsterdam:

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## WAGES INCREASED

*(Reuter's Service)*

Washington, May 12.—The wages of the seamen employed by the United States Shipping Board have been increased to 15 to 20 percent.


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## Isis

Freckle-faced Wesley Barry, the inimitable movie celebrity, will grace the screen of the Isis Theater, beginning Wednesday in his latest starring vehicle, "School Days," made from the Gus Edwards classic of the same name.

The very mention of the words "School Days" holds an appeal for young and old, and it is said that every mother who has boys, every man who remembers his boyhood, every human being who can thrill to the joys, the disappointments, the pranks and the glory of boyhood will gloat over the trials and tribulations of Speck Brown, better known to the screen world as Wes' Barry.

Briefly, the story centers around a small town boy who loves the old swimmin' hole and his dog, Hippy, better than anything else in the world. Sent East to get an education, he meets many youngsters of wealthy parents, and finds himself out of the social swim. He is beset by many trials and tribulations, and finally goes back home to his faithful dog and his little country sweetheart via the freight train route.

There are said to be many other interesting high-lights in the picture, in addition to a notable cast including Nellie P. Spaulding, Margaret Seddon, and Jerome Patrick.


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## Sir John Jordan Asks Intervention

*(Reuter's Service)*

London, May 13.—Sir John Jordan, in an interview published in the Observer, expressed the opinion that the general lawlessness in China was the result of the comparative absence of a Government. Payment of ransom for those kidnapped would simply put a premium on further outrages. The Government of Peking, which possessed 30,000 troops and good generals, ought to adopt severe punitive measures. The whole future safety of foreigners in China depended on strong measures against the bandits, and an international commission to deal with the whole question on the spot should be one of the first steps.

## Industries Body Has Boxer Scheme

*(Reuter's Service)*

London, May 14.—The Federation of British Industries has forwarded suggestions with regard to the allocation of the British share of the Boxer Indemnity to Marquess Curzon, the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs. The Federation urges that a substantial part should be spent on education in China, including technical colleges, and on post-graduate education in Britain, including practical work in British workshops, factories, mines and railways, and also on endowment of scholarships to enable British students to travel in China and study local conditions. The suggestions will be considered by a committee which the Government is establishing.—


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## FRENCH RADIO

*(Reuter's Service)*

London, May 13.—A wireless expert, writing in the Observer with regard to the delay of the Empire wireless scheme, says that equipment is being ordered for a French wireless station at Pondicherry.

## O'BRIEN LEAVES

*(Reuter's Pacific Service)*

London, May 14.—Art O'Brien has left Dublin under escort for [illegible] in connection with the proceedings before the House of Lords today. He will be handed over to the English police authorities.


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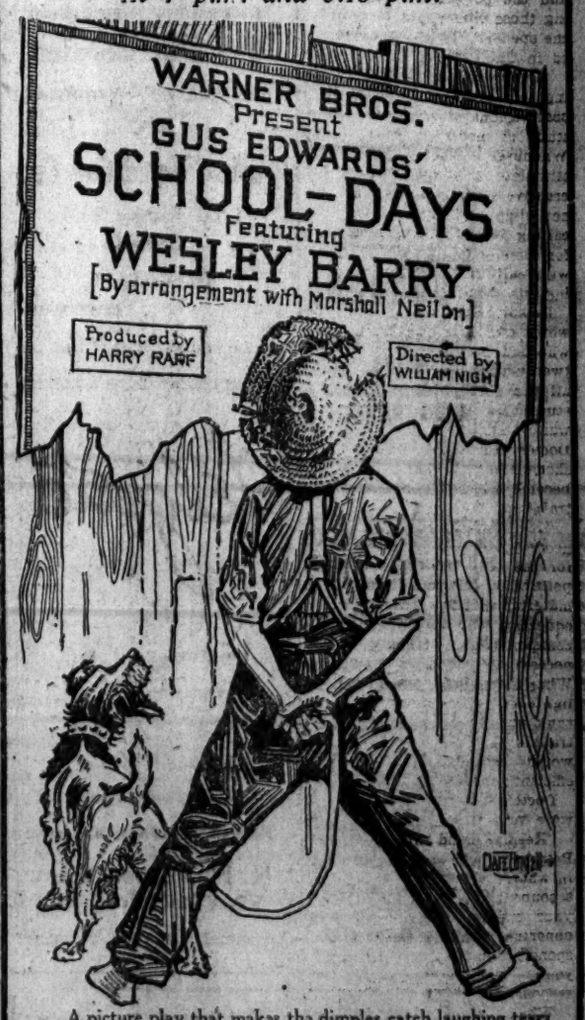


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The local Russian authorities, however, refused to release the prisoners pending receipt of instructions from the Moscow Government. They have permitted the supply of necessaries to the prisoners by the Japanese authorities.

## QUAKES IN JAPAN

*(Reuter's Pacific Service)*

Tokio, May 8.—Since Sunday Nikko Odawara and districts have had frequent earthquake shocks. Part of the Odawara-Atami highway has been submerged by water in consequence. The people feel grave concern at the rumors that a tidal wave is imminent.

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### Sleepers Trapped By Flames In Lung Men Road Shops

Seventeen lives were snuffed out Sunday morning when fire broke out in an oil shop in Lung Men Road near Avenue Edward VII, sweeping through the premises and leaping to another shop across a narrow alleyway with such terrific rapidity that the sleepers were unable to escape. Of the victims, nine male and eight female—including four children, sixteen had been identified yesterday, according to a report made to Assessor Whitamore and Magistrate Li of the Mixed Court.

The cause of the fire has not been ascertained. Chinese in the neighborhood declare that the shop was struck by lightning during the thunderstorm of Sunday morning, but combustion among the inflammable materials stored in the place is held to be a more plausible theory. Shortly after the outbreak a low explosion was heard and it is thought that the concussion may have been responsible for some at least of the deaths, the sleepers being stunned and thus unable to flee from the flames.

Divisions from Sinza Station and from the French Department battled the blaze and did so under handicap as the nearest large hydrants were far from the scene. Admirable work, however, checked the extent of the outbreak and the firemen plunged in among the members to recover the dead. Ten bodies were found in the ruins of the oil shop where the fire originated, and seven more were removed from the premises across the narrow alleyway.

## *Tuchun Demands Train For His Wife*

*(Reuter's Pacific Service)*

Peking, May 10.—Reports were in circulation in Peking and Tientsin last night and this morning that Mr. Ritchie, a British subject, of the Peking-Mukden Railway had been attacked and injured by Chinese soldiers.

The fact, however, appears to be that some soldiers tried to obtain a special train so that the wife of the Tuchun of Honan might proceed home and had an altercation with the Chinese stationmaster at Tientsin on the matter.

Mr. Ritchie intervened and locked the stationmaster in his office to prevent his being assaulted and being compelled to supply the train. Mr. Richie himself was not injured in any way.

### LESS FOR STAMPS

*(French Wireless)*

London, May 12.—Beginning from Monday the British postal tariff is reduced to 2½ pence for foreign mail letters.

## *French Observe Jeanne D' Arc Day*

*(Asiatic Wireless)*

Paris, May 13.—The Jeanne d'Arc Festival was celebrated all over France today. Even in the Ruhr occupied territory all streets were decorated with flags.

In Shanghai, the day was observed with a display of bunting on the French vessels in the harbor while the entire French Concession was decorated with stands of the tricolored flag. In the grounds of the French Town Hall, streamers of signal flags were used with telling effect.

## *Hankow Students In Demonstration Against Japanese*

*(Independent News Service)*

Hankow, May 9.—About 30,000 students and shopkeepers from the Wuhan cities held a big anti-Japanese demonstration at the Nour Troupe Garden in Hankow yesterday. After the general mass meeting near the Garden, the students and boycotters were divided into five divisions, three of which penetrated the streets of Hankow to the upper end of the city at Chiachow, while the other two paraded through the back of the Concessions ending their demonstration in the former German Concession.

Practically all schools of any size, either for boys or girls, in Wuchang, Hankow and Hanyang joined the parade and mass meeting, including students from Boone University, Griffith John College, Wesley College, Catholic Mission schools, Chung Hwa University, Y. M. C. A. Schools, Chung Hwa University, Y. M. C. A. Fu Teh Academy and a number of mission middle schools. Many shopkeepers and merchants also took part in the agitation. The movement is directed at the Twenty One Demands.

*(Independent News Service)*

Hankow, May 9.—General Wu Pei-fu has wired to authorities in Wuchang, to keep their hands off any anti-Japanese boycott movement, inasmuch as such movements are the will of the people and officials are not in a position to curb it.


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Carrying samples of various merchandise, the "Oriental Advertiser II" has a spacious show-room in which these samples are displayed. Not least among the goods carried are a couple of cinema machines, with which it is proposed to put on show, for the edification of the multitude in the interior.

Among the articles to be advertised, are Wrigley's, Gum. Nestles Chocolates and Milk, Henessy's Three Star, Asiatic Petroleum products, and Pathe phonographs and motion picture apparatus.

The route of the "Oriental Advertiser II" is charted along the Yangtsze, with stops indicated at most of the larger towns on the way and a good many of the small ones. The trip is planned to extend over six months.

It is of interest to recall that the predecessor of the present houseboat, the "Oriental Advertiser," was wrecked while moored on the Bund at Hankow when a gale swept over the city last Summer, doing damage all along the waterfront.

The new craft, however, is built more strongly, and along the lines of the rapids-shooters of the Yangtsze, and will doubtless make many a long trip.

## *Okara Owners Deny Ship Was Unsafe*

*(Reuter's Service)*

Calcutta, May 12.—Mr. Bell, a partner of the firm of Messrs. Mackinnon, Mackenzie and Company, the agents for the British India Line, interviewed today, denied the allegations contained in a question by Mr. Thomas Johnston (Labor) in the House of Commons on May 10.

Mr. Bell declared that the Okara had been in dry dock for 142 days at Kidderpore in 1920 and was thoroughly repaired, after which the Government surveyor had granted a certificate of seaworthiness for four years. The Okara had been docked three times since 1920 for overhauling, the most recent being at Calcutta on April 20 last.

## *World Our Oyster, Says Tokio Savant*

*(Reuter's Service)*

London, May 12.—Lecturing before the Japan Society in London, the Japanese Professor, Mr. Hishinuma, said that her cramped population caused her anxiety and naturally Japan cast eyes on thinly populated areas in North and South America, Canada and Australia, where to send her surplus population and turn wilderness into rice and wheat-fields and hives of industry. However, she would limit the number of immigrants in order not to disturb the peace of her neighbors.

In conclusion Professor Hishinuma said that unless some Western nations awoke from their mistaken attitude towards the peoples of the East there would be a struggle between East and West which would involve the whole of humanity in the most disastrous war ever seen.

## What The U. S. Government Costs

Americans do not as a rule think of their government as a bureaucracy, yet recent estimates of the number of public servants, or government employes serving the United States place that number at not less than 2,000,000, that is to say, a number equal to the military forces sent to Europe during the world war, and indicating that one person out of every twenty in the United States is in government employ.

Who these servants are can be only roughly estimated for the Census Bureau even in the land of organisation has not been able to cope with the problem of cataloguing with more than approximate success, School teachers account for 750,000. The next largest class are the soldiers, sailors and marines, who number 225,000. The many thousand miles of coast are provided with 2,300 lifesavers, 12,000 detectives serve the state, and 82,000 policemen. And for some curious reason guards, watchmen and doorkeepers 115,000 of them, outnumber the common laborers of whom there are only 107,000.

And what is the cost of running this mammoth machine, with its State Governors, Senators and Representatives, government staffs policemen (82,000), firemen and clerks (50,000)? Approximately the cost of administering the Federal Government during the calender years of 1921, was $4,666,671,594. But when to this is added the running expenses of cities, states, countries and unincorporated places, (those of less than 25,000 inhabitants), the total cost of the government to its taxpayers proves to be close to $8,500,000,000.

The national income of the United States was only recently estimated by leading economists to be from sixty to sixty-five billions annually. If this estimate is correct, one-eighth of the national income is spent for government costs.

This means that for an equal distribution of this expense among the 40,000 workers in the United States including men and women in professional life, and two million government workers would place on each of them a burden of $220 a year, or fourteen percent of their income of sixty billion dollars, or in terms of labor instead of dollars, each worker in the United States gives as his share more than seven weeks labor a year towards the upkeep of the American government.

## Weather Report

May 13.—High pressures receding E.S.E. ward across Nippon, while the northern China depression is crossing the Yellow Sea E.S.E. ward. Cyclonic circulation over the Yellow and the Eastern Seas. Variable winds with local calms and mist in the south. Cloudy weather with thunderstorms in our Valley in the morning. Foggy at Hongkong and at Haiphong.

May 14.—Fine and cool weather The pressure keeps almost stationary and normal. Rather fresh N. Wly winds.

## KULING BUSY

*(Independent News Service)*

Kuling, May 9.—Kuling is now getting ready for the summer which promises to be a record season. The native shops in the Gap are all opening, ready to commence business for the season. All the Bungalows are already let, while the hotels report a large demand for rooms.

The proposed motor road is still in abeyance. It was started but is now hung up for lack of money.


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**Hugh Kershaw & Sons, Ltd.**, Mossley, near Manchester, Roller and Clearer Cloths. Stocks Carried.

**The Kermath Manufacturing Co.**, Detroit Michigan, Marine Motors.

**International Paint & Compositions Co., Ltd.**, Compositions. Stocks Carried.

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**Nobel's Explosives Co., Ltd.**, Glasgow Explosives.

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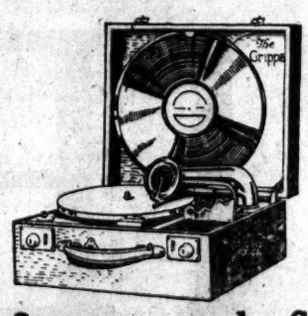


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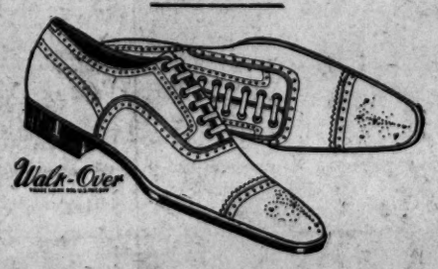


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## BENJAMIN AND POTTS SHARE LIST

Yesterday's Close

| Stock | Closing Quotations |
|---|---|
| **Banks** | |
| H. K. and S. B. | $1,140 |
| Chartered | £17/- S. |
| Russo-Asiatic | Nom |
| **Marine Insurance** | |
| Canton | H. 625 |
| North China | Tls. 138 |
| Union of Canton | H.$230 B. |
| Yangtsze | $26¾ B. |
| Far Eastern Ins. | Tls. 20¼ |
| **Fire Insurance** | |
| China Fire | H. 137 |
| Hongkong Fire | H. 465 B. |
| **Shipping** | |
| Indo-China Def. | H. 260 |
| Indo-China Pref. | H. 40 B. |
| "Shell" | 87s. 6d. |
| Shanghai Tug ord. | Tls. 86 |
| S'hai Tug Pref. | Tls. 53 B. |
| **Mining** | |
| Kaiping | Tls. 17 B. |
| Oriental Cons. | 18A- |
| Raub | $7.20 B. |
| **Docks** | |
| Hongkong Dock | Tls. 170 S. |
| Shanghai Dock | Tls. 100 |
| New Eng. Works | Tls. 9 S. |
| " Pref. | Tls. 5.10 B. |
| **Wharves** | |
| Shanghai Wharf | Tls. 212½ |
| Hongkong Wharf | H.$177 Sa. |
| **Lands and Hotels** | |
| S'hai Hotel, Ltd. | Tls. 42½ B. |
| China Realty ord. | Tls. 50 |
| China Realty Pref. | Tls. 50 |
| A.-French Land | Tls. 121 B. |
| Shanghai Land | Tls. 122 B. |
| Carlton Ltd. | Tls. 53 S. |
| **Cotton Mills** | |
| E-wo (ord.) | Tls. 15¼ S. |
| E-wo (pref.) | Tls. 100 B. |
| Laou-kung-mow | Tls. 9 B. |
| Oriental | Tls. 6 S. |
| Shanghai Cotton | Tls. 105 S. |
| **Industrials** | |
| Butler Tiles | Tls. 25 |
| China Sugar | Tls. 249 |
| Green Island | Tls. 28.35 B. |
| Langkats | Tls. 32½ B. |
| Major Bros. | Tls. 5 |
| S'hai Sumatra | Tls. 90 B |
| **Stores** | |
| Hall and Holtz | Tls. 6¾ B. |
| Llewelyn | $42½ |
| Lane Crawford | Tls. 112½ B. |
| Moutrie | $40 B. |
| Watson | Tls. 18¼ B. |
| Weeks | Tls. 13¼ S. |
| **Rubbers (local)** | |
| Alma | Tls. 6¼ B. |
| Amherst | Tls. 0.30 B. |
| Anglo-Java | Tls. 6 B. |
| Anglo-Dutch | Tls. 2.85 B. |
| Ayer Tawah | Tls. 23½ B. |
| Batu Anam 1918 | Tls. 0.95 B. |
| Bute | Tls. 0.75 |
| Bukit Toh Alang | Tls. 2.85 B. |
| Chemor United | Tls. 1.05 B. |
| Chempedak | Tls. 5 B. |
| Cheng | Tls. 1.75 |
| Consolidated | Tls. 2¾ B. |
| Dominion | Tls. 2.60 B. |
| Gula Kalumpong | Tls. 11½ |
| Java Consolidated | Tls. 14½ |
| Kapayang | Tls. 9 B. |
| Karan | Tls. 7¾ |
| Kedah | Tls. 1.17½ B. |
| Koth Bahroe | Tls. 1.30 B. |
| Kroewoek Java | Tls. 13½ B. |
| Padang | Tls. 5 B. |
| Pengkalan Durian | Tls. 1 B. |
| Permata | Tls. 2.60 B. |
| Repah | Tls. 2½ B |
| Samagagas | Tls. 0.87½ B. |
| Seekees | Tls. 0.80 |
| Semambu | Tls. 1.45 B. |
| Senawang | Tls. 1.10 B. |
| S'hai Klebang | Tls. 0.80 |
| Shanghai Malay | Tls. 2½ B. |
| S'hai Malay pref. | Tls. 9 B. |
| Shanghai Pahang | Tls. 0.90 B. |
| Sungala | Tls. 1 B. |
| Sungei Duri | Tls. 9 B. |
| Sua Manggis | Tls. 2.40 B. |
| S'hai Seremban | Tls. 0.65 B. |
| Taiping | Tls. 0.60 B. |
| Tanah Merah | Tls. 0.75 B. |
| Tebong | Tls. 1.45 B. |
| Ziangbes | Tls. 3.35 B. |
| **Miscellaneous** | |
| C. I. & E. Lumber | Tls. 323 |
| Cuity Dairy | Tls. 14 |
| Shanghai Trams | Tls. 152½ |
| Shanghai Gas | Tls. 36 B. |
| Horse Bazaar | Tls. 50 |
| S'hai Mercury | Tls. 20 B. |
| S'hai Telephone | Tls. 75½ |
| S'hai Waterworks | Tls. 175 B. |

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Shanghai, May 14, 1923

Mexican Dollars

| | |
|---|---|
| Market | 72.4625 |
| Native | 12 |
| Shanghai Gold Bars 978 | |
| Touch | 319 |
| Copper Cash | 250.000 |
| Bar Silver | 32⅝ |
| Bank rate of Discount | 8% |
| Paris on London | 69.90 |
| New York on London | 461¾ |

**Banks Opening Selling Rates**

London—

| | |
|---|---|
| Tel. Transfer | 3s. 2⅛d. |
| Demand | 3s. 2⅜d. |

New York—

| | |
|---|---|
| Tel. Transfer | 73½ |
| Demand | 73⅝ |

**OPENING RATES**

Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Opening quotations 9:30 a.m.

**BANKS SELLING RATES**

| | |
|---|---|
| London (T.T.) | 3/2¼ |
| London (Demand) | 3/2⅜ |
| London 4 m-s | 3/2⅛ |
| India (T.T.) | 237 |
| France (T.T.) | 1115 |
| America (T.T.) | 73½ |
| Hongkong (T.T.) | 74 |
| Japan (T.T.) | 66⅞ |
| Batavia (T.T.) | 192 |
| Straits (T.T.) | 73¾ |

**BANK'S BUYING RATE**

| | |
|---|---|
| London 4 m-s Credits | 3/4¼ |
| London 4 m-s Docts | 3/4½ |
| London 6 m-s Credits | 3/4¾ |
| London 6 m-s Docts | |
| France 4 m-s | 1165 |
| America 4 m-s L/c | 77½ |
| Docs | 78 |

**Gold Dollars: Bank Buying Rates**

@ 75¼ = Tls. 132.89

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**Sovereign Bank Buying Rate**

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**CUSTOMS HOUSE EXCHANGE RATES FOR MAY**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Hk. Tls. 5.67 | @ 3s. 2d. | | £1 |
| " 1.22 | @ 73⅝ | | Gold $1 |
| " 1 | @ 1113 | | Fr. 12.40 |
| " 1 | @ — | | Marks — |
| " 1 | 66½ | | Yen 1.68 |
| " 1 | 234⅝ | | |
| | | | Rupees 2.61 |
| " 1 | @ — | | Roubles — |
| " 1 | @ 1.50 | | Mex. $1.50 |
| " 1 | @ 14.75 | | Ital Lire 16.43 |

CHINESE GOVERNMENT BONDS

(Supplied by Sing Tung & Co.)

| | Saturday. | Yes'day's. |
|---|---|---|
| 3rd year 6% | 95.00 | 95.20 |
| 5th year 6% | 52.00 | 50.50 |
| 7th year 6% | 42.90 | 43.10 |
| 9th year 6% | 66.80 | 66.50 |
| 6% Consolidated | 50.40 | 50.80 |
| 7% Consolidated | 52.65 | 53.10 |
| 11th year 8% | 97.50 | 94X.D. |
| 96 millions 8% | 26.10 | 26.40 |

**GOLD BAR QUOTATIONS**

| | |
|---|---|
| 320.30 | 318.20 |
| 320.00 | 318.80 |
| 319.60 | 319.10 |
| 319.10 | 318.50 |
| 318.60 | 318.20 |
| 318.40 | 317.70 |
| 318.70 | |

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**CLOSING COUNTER RATES**

| | |
|---|---|
| Demand selling on America | 74¼ |
| Demand buying on America | 75¼ |
| Demand selling on London | 3s. 2½d. |
| Demand buying on London | 3s. 3¼d. |

## Exchange Fluctuations

**Asia Banking Corporation**

May 14, 1923

Spot bar silver was up 3-16d and forward 1-16d in London on Saturday. The New York price advanced to 66¾ cents and the London New York cross rate to 462¾. The only change in our official quotations here today was a drop in the Yen rate to 66⅞.

Our market here at the opening was steady and became firm during the course of the day. In the morning business in Sterling was done at 3-2 9-16 for May delivery, 3-2½ for June and 3-2 7-16 for July.

Gold Dollars were done at 74⅝ for near and forward deliveries. Later on in the day however there were sellers of Sterling at 3s. 2 1/16d. for May, 3s. 2⅝d. for June and 3s. 2⅞d. for July and 3s. 2½d. for August. There were sellers of Gold Dollars at 74½ for near delivery and 74⅝ for forward.

There were sellers of Yen at 66⅛ for near and 66 for forward delivery, with buyers ⅛ point lower.

Banks were quoting 3s. 3¼d., 76¼ and 1150 for Sterling Gold Dollar and Franc bills respectively.

India bought silver in London on Saturday and the market there is reported as closing steady. There was nothing doing in the New York market.

## Stock Exchange

**Today's Quotations**

Shanghai, May 14, 1923

**OFFICIAL**

Ewo Mills (Ord.) Tls. 15.00 June
Langkats (Comb.) Tls. 32.50
25 shares
Shanghai Loans Tls. 6.75
Anglo Javas Tls. 6.00

**UNOFFICIAL**

Langkats (Comb.) Tls. 33.00 May
Tls. 33.50 June
Ewo Mills (Ord.) Tls. 15.40 June
Tls. 15.25 June
Tls. 14.90 June

**ROUBLE EXCHANGE**

**BANKS BUYING RATE**

Roubles 330,000 ....Tls. 100
Roubles 100 .....Mex $0.04

**SINO-ITALIAN BANK**

**Bank's Selling Rates**

It. Lire 15.05 = 1 Tael
Swiss Frs. 4.07 = 1 Tael
Marks 19.000 = 1 Tael

**Equivalent Foreign Quotations**

It. Lire 96.00 = 1 Pound Sterling
It. Lire 20.52 = 1 U. S. Dollar
It. Lire 135.25 = 100 Fr. Francs

## Shanghai Sharebrokers Association

**Business Done**

Shanghai, May 14, 1923

**OFFICIAL**

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Tls. 106.10

**UNOFFICIAL**

Padangs Tls. 5.00
Hall & Holtz $6.75
Shanghai Tugs (Ord.) Tls. 84.00
Ewos (Ord.) Tls. 15.10 June

## France To Fight Population Drop

*(French Wireless)*

Paris, May 12.—The General Congress of the families of France in favor of repopulation, which was organised with the co-operation of the French League of Families Associations, has been opened in presence of numerous delegates arriving from all places of the country. Questions regarding material life, moral life and family life will be examined.

The French Colonial minister, M. Sarraut, has departed for Brussels where he will confer on international colonisation schemes.

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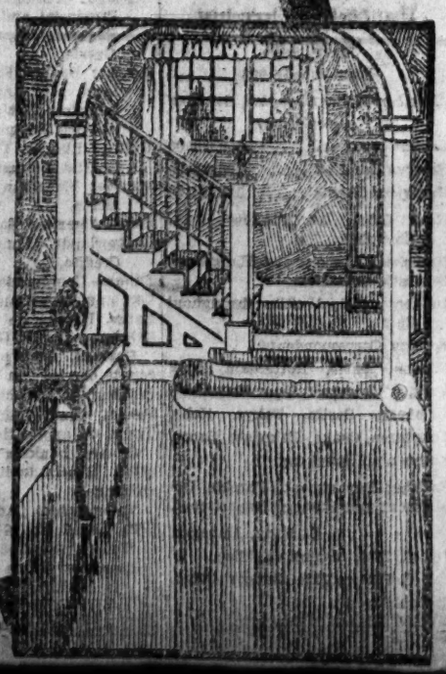



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# Chinese and Foreign Banking Announcements

## Chartered Bank of India Australia and China

Incorporated in England by Royal Charter 1853.

Capital .....£3,000,000
Reserve Fund .....£3,800,000
Reserve Liabilities .....£3,000,000

*Head Office.*
*38 Bishopsgate London, E. C.*
*Shanghai Branch: 18 The Bund*

*Court of Directors*
Sir Montagu Cornish Turner, Chairman.
Sir Duncan Carmichael,
T. Cuthbertson, Esq.,
Sir Alfred Dent, K.C.M.G.
Sir William Henry Neville Goschen, K.B.E.
The Rt. Hon. Lord George Hamilton, G.C.S.I.
The Right Honourable Sir John Newell Jordan, G.C.M.G., G.C.I.E., K.C.B.
W. Foot Mitchell, Esq. M. P.
James Maxwell Grant Prophit, Esq.
Lewis Alexander Wallace, Esq.

*Bankers:*
The Bank of England.
The London Joint City and Midland Bank Limited.
Westminster Bank, Ltd.
The National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Limited.
The Nation Bank of Scotland, Limited.

*Agencies and Branches:*

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Alor Star (Kedah) | Haipnong | Peking |
| Amritsar | Hongkong | Penang |
| Bangkok | Iloilo | Puket |
| Batavia | Ipoh | Rangoon |
| Bombay | Karachi | Saigon |
| Calcutta | Klang | Seremban |
| Canton | Kobe | Shanghai |
| Cawnpore | Kuala-Lumpur | Singapore |
| Cebu | Madras | Sourabaya |
| Colombo | Manila | Taiping |
| Delhi | Medan | Tavoy |
| Hankow | New York | Tientsin |
| | Zamboanga | Yokohama |

Drafts granted on the above Agencies and Branches and also on the principal Commercial Cities throughout the world. Bills of Exchange bought and received for collection. Travellers' Letter of Credit issued and every description of Banking business undertaken.

C. J. SCOTT,
Manager.

## Banque Belge Pour L'Etranger

(Affiliated to the Societe Generale de Belgique.)

Frs.
Capital (subscribed) ..100,000,000
Capital (paid up) ..... 75,000,000
Reserves ..... 21,852,280

Head office: Brussels
Branches and Agencies at:
LONDON, MANCHESTER, PARIS, NEW YORK, BUCHAREST, BRAZIL, COLOGNE, CAIRO, ALEXANDRIA, TANTAH, PEKING, SHANGHAI, TIENTSIN, HANKOW.
Allied Banks:
BANCO DE CARTAGENA, MADRID, with Branches in SPAIN and MOROCCO
WIENER BANK-VEREIN, VIENNA, with Branches in AUSTRIA, ITALY (TYROL), and YUGOSLAVIA.
ALLGEMEINER BOEHMISCHER BANK-VEREIN, PRAGUE, with Branches in CZECHO-SLOVAKIA
SOCIETE EN COMMANDITE FRANCO-BELGE, A. KOUYOUMDJISKY AND CO., SOFIA.
LANDESBANK FUER BOSNIEN UND HERCEGOVINA, SERAJEVO, with Branches in YUGOSLAVIA.
Correspondents in all parts of the world.
Every description of banking business transacted.

L. STRAETMANS,
Manager.

## The Chinese American Bank of Commerce

Authorised Capital
U. S. .....$10,000,000
Paid Capital U. S. .....$ 5,000,000

HEAD OFFICE: PEKING

*Branches:*

| | |
|---|---|
| HANKOW | SHANGHAI |
| MANILA | SHIHKIACHWANG |
| HARBIN | TIENTSIN |
| PEKING | TSINANFU |

Correspondents all over the World.
Every kind of banking business transacted.

SAVINGS DEPARTMENT

The Chinese American Bank of Commerce is prepared to open Savings Accounts in local $, Taels, £, Frs. and Yen on very favorable terms. Prospectus will be mailed on request.

SHANGHAI OFFICE:
11A Nanking Road
Telephone C. 5841, 5842, 5843
Telegraphic address: Sinambank

## Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation

Authorised Capital ..$50,000,000
Paid-up Capital .....$20,000,000

Reserve Funds:—
Sterling .....£4,500,000
Silver .....$24,500,000

Reserve Liability of Proprietors .....$20,000,000

Head Office: HONGKONG.
*Court of Directors:*
A. O. Lang, Esq. Chairman.
D. G. M. Bernard, Esq. Deputy Chairman.
A. H. Compton, Esq.
G. M. Dodwell, Esq.
G. T. M. Edkins, Esq.
Hon. Mr. E. V. D. Parr.
W. L. Pattenden Esq.
J. A. Plummer Esq.
W. P. White, Esq.
CHIEF MANAGER:
Hongkong:
Hon. Mr. A. G. STEPHEN.

*Branches and Agencies:*

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Amoy | Harbin | Peking |
| Bangkok | Iloilo | Penang |
| Batavia | Ipoh | Rangoon |
| Bombay | Johore | Saigon |
| Calcutta | Kobe | S. Francisco |
| Canton | Kuala-Lumpur | Shanghai |
| Chefoo | | Singapore |
| Colombo | London | Sourabaya |
| Dairen | Lyons | Sungei-Patani |
| Foochow | Malacca | Tientsin |
| Haiphong | Manila | Tsingtao |
| Hamburg | Nagasaki | Vladivostock |
| Hankow | New York | Yokohama |

*London Bankers:*
London County Westminster and Parr's Bank, Ltd.

*Shanghai Branch:* 12 The Bund
*Sub-Agency:* 9 Broadway.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and on Fixed Deposits according to arrangement.
Local Bills Discounted.
Credits granted on approved Securities and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.
Drafts granted on London and the chief commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, Africa, China, Japan and America

G. H. STITT.
Manager.

## Russo-Asiatic Bank

Roubles.
Capital (fully-paid) ....55,000,000
Reserve Fund .....26,960,000
Capital Contributed by Kup. the Chinese Government ..... 3,500,000
Reserve Fund ..... 1,750,000

*Head Office:*
Paris, 9 Rue Bondreau
*London Office:*
64 Old Broad Street, E. C. 2.

*Bankers:*
London: Messrs. Glyn, Mills, Currie and Co.
Societe Generale pour favoriser le developpement du Commerce et de l'Industrie en France.
Paris: Societe Generale pour Favoriser le Developpement du Commerce et de l'Industrie en France.
Banque de Paris et des Pays-Bas.
Lyons: Societe Generale pour Favoriser le Development du Commerce et de l'Industrie en France.
Milan: Credito Italiano
Rome: Banco di Roma.
New York: Irving Bank—Columbia Trust Company.
San Francisco: The Crocker National Bank of San Francisco.

BRANCHES IN ASIA

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Chanchun | Harbin | Shanghai |
| Chefoo | Hongkong | Peking |
| Dairen | Manchouli | Tientsin |
| Hailar | Kashgar | Yokohama |
| Hankow | Newchwang | Urumtchi |

SHANGHAI BRANCH
Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels and Dollars. Terms on application. Local Bills discounted.
Foreign Exchange on the principal cities of the world bought and sold.
SAFE DEPOSIT BOXES.
L. Jezierski.
P. Petithuguenin.
Ch. Bleuler.
Managers for Branches in Asia.

## Bank of Communications

(Specially authorised and made a National Bank by Presidential Mandates of April 7th, 1914 and October 31st, 1915)
Capital: Dollars 20,000,000.00.
President: Hon. Mr. Chang Chien,
Vice-President:
Mr. Chien Yung-ming.
HEAD OFFICE: PEKING
Branches and Agencies in Domestic Cities and Foreign Countries.
Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits according to arrangement. Credit granted on approved securities. Special Facilities for Transfers to all parts of China.
SHANGHAI BRANCH:
14 The Bund
SHEN CHU HSU, Manager.
T. D. Woo, Sub-Manager.
S. T. Huang, Sub-Manager.

## Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation

Savings Bank Office:
12 The Bund and 9 Broadway.

Deposits of not less than $1.00 will be received.
Not more than $200 will be received during one month from any single Depositor.
Interest at the rate of 3.½ % per annum will be allowed upon the monthly minimum balance.
The maximum balance on which interest will be allowed is $5,000.00.
Deposits may be withdrawn on Demand. Accounts will be kept either in Dollars or Taels, Local Currency, at the option of the Depositor.
Depositors will be presented with Pass Books, in which all transactions will be entered. Pass Books must be presented when paying in or withdrawing money.
OFFICE HOURS. 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturdays, 10 a.m. to noon.

## The Bank Of Canton, Ltd.

Incorporated 1912.
Capital Authorised ..£1,200,000-0-0
Capital Paid-up .....£1,066,520-0-0
Reserve Fund H. K. ....$800,000.00

HEAD OFFICE:
No. 6 Des Voeux Road Central, Hongkong.

*OFFICES:*
Shanghai, New York, Canton and Bangkok.

SHANGHAI OFFICE:
No. 1 and 2 Ningpo Road.

AGENCIES:

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|---|---|---|
| Honolulu | San Francisco | Kobe |
| London | Sourabaya | Batavia |
| Manila | Singapore | Canada |
| Yokohama | Samarang | etc. |

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits according to arrangement.
Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.
SAVINGS DEPARTMENT.
We shall open our Savings Department beginning on February 21st, 1923. Favorable terms given. Savings deposits are cordially invited.

WONG WEN KUANG,
Manager.

## The Exchange Bank of China

SHANGHAI BRANCH.
5 FOOCHOW ROAD.

C. 1941.
Telephone: C. 1946.
C. 5651.
Telegraphic Address: "Knabox"

Capital ..... Yen 10,000,000

Head office ..... Peking.
Registered in the Ministry of Finance.

General Banking Business of Every Description transacted.
Foreign and Domestic Exchange Business a specialty. We issue Demand Drafts, T.T. Letters of Credit, Buying and Selling Specie, etc. etc.
Foreign and Domestic Commercial Papers and Bills discounted.
Loans and Advances made on approved Securities.
Interest allowed on current accounts and fixed deposits according to arrangement.

Foreign Agencies at Tokio, Yokohama, Kobe, Osaka, Nagasaki, Moji, Singapore, Bombay, London, New York.
Domestic Agencies at Tientsin, Hankow, Kiukiang, Tsingtau, Dairen, Changchun, Mukden Soochow, Amoy, Swatow, Hongkong, Canton.
Y. KATADH, Manager.
M. F. CHANG, Sub-Manager.

## Banque De L'Indo-Chine

Subscribed Capital 72,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital 68,400,000.00
Reserve Fund
..(1-6-20) .. 69,500,000.00

Head Office:
No. 96 Boulevard Hanoomann, Paris.

Branches and Agencies:

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Saigon | Hanoi | Tourane |
| Haiphong | Hankow | Tientsin |
| Peking | Canton | Mengtze |
| Hongkong | Pondichery | Bangkok |
| Singapore | Shanghai | Noumea |
| Papeete | Djibouti | Yunnanfu |
| Pnom-Penh | Battambang | |

London Bankers:
The National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ltd.
Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris—Credit Lyonnais.

The Shanghai Agency undertakes all Banking and Exchange operations; grants credits on goods and approved securities; opens current and fixed deposit accounts in taels and francs according to arrangement.

L. ARDAIN,
Manager.

## International Banking Corporation

Capital Paid Up ..U.S. $5,000,000
Surplus and Undivided Profits ..... U.S. $10,458,137

Owned by the National City Bank of New York.

*Head Office:*
60 WALL STREET, NEW YORK
*London Office:* 36 Bishopsgate, E.C.
*Lyons Office:* 27 Place Tolozan.

*San Francisco Office:*
232 *Montgomery Street.*

*BRANCHES:*

| CHINA | PHILIPPINES |
|---|---|
| Shanghai | Manila |
| Peking | Cebu |
| Tientsin | |
| Hankow | SPAIN |
| Harbin | Barcelona |
| Hongkong | Madrid |
| Canton | |
| | STRAITS |
| INDIA | Singapore |
| Bombay | |
| Calcutta | DOMINICA |
| Rangoon | Santo Domingo |
| | Sanchez |
| JAPAN | San Francisco |
| Tokyo | San Pedro |
| Yokohama | Santiago |
| Kobe | Puerto Plata |
| | Barahona |
| JAVA | La Vega |
| Batavia | |
| Soerabaya | PANAMA |
| | Panama |
| | Colon |

We are also able to offer our Customers the services of the Branches of the National City Bank of New York in the principal countries of South America, Central America and in the West Indies.
Commercial and Travellers' Letters of Credit, Bills of Exchange and Cable Transfers bought and sold. Current Accounts and Savings Bank Accounts opened and Fixed Deposits in local and foreign currencies taken at rates that may be ascertained on application to the Bank.

N. S. MARSHALL, Manager.
1A Kiukiang Road, Shanghai.

## The Bank of China

(Specially authorised by Presidential Mandate of 15th April, 1915)

Authorised Capital $60,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital $18,914,400.00
Reserve Fund $2,443,700.00
Special Reserve Fund $3,534,600.00

*Head Office: Peking.*
Branches and Agencies;

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Peking | Taiyuan | Shanghai |
| Tientsin | Kaifeng | Hankow |
| Chanchun | Wuhu | Ichang' |
| Antung | Anking | Changsha |
| Dalny | Hangchow | Nanchang |
| Moukden | Ningpo | Kiukiang |
| Newchwang | Nanking | Foochow |
| Harbin | Chinkiang | Amoy |
| Kirin | Hsuchow | Canton |
| Tsinan | Soochow | Hongkong |
| Chefoo | Wusieh | Swatow |
| Tsingtao | Yangchow | Chungking |

*Foreign Correspondents:*
London, Paris, Berlin, New York, San Francisco, Tokio, Osaka and Yokohama.

SHANGHAI BRANCH
*22 The Bund*
Loans granted on approved Securities. Local Bills discounted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels or Dollars according to arrangement.

SUNG HAN-CHANG,
Manager.

## 浙江實業銀行 The Chekiang Industrial Bank Ltd.

Established 1908
*(Member of the Shanghai Bankers' Association)*

Capital ..... $2,000,000.00
Reserve Fund ..... $206,400.00
Undivided Profits ..... 120,751.00

Head Office: 14 Hankow Road, Shanghai.
Branches: Hankow and Hangchow.
Domestic Agencies:
In the principal cities throughout China.
Foreign Correspondents:
London, Paris, Rotterdam, New York, Chicago, San Francisco, Hamburg, Berlin, Tokyo, Kobe, Yokohama, Osaka, Hakodate, Seoul, Fusan and Hongkong.

Banking Department, Foreign Department and Savings Department.

LI MING, Manager.
Tel. C. 7130, Manager's Office,
C. 7121 to 7124, General Office.
Cable Address:
"CHINDUBANK," Shanghai.

## Nederlandsche Handel Maatschappy

*(Netherlands Trading Society)*
*Established 1824*

Paid-up Capital: Guilders 80,000,000 (about £6,666,666)
Reserve Funds: Guilders 19,445,211 (about £1,620,434)
Special Reserve: Guilders 22,660,000 (about £1,888,333).

Head Office: AMSTERDAM.
Head Agency: BATAVIA
*Agencies in Hollandc*
THE HAGUE and ROTTERDAM

*Branches:*

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| Bandjermasin | Pekalongen |
| Bandoeng | Palembang |
| Bombay | |
| Calcutta | Pontianak |
| Cheribon | Rangoon |
| Djember | Semarang |
| Djokjakarta | Singapore |
| Hongkong | Soerakarta |
| Kobe | Soerabaya |
| Kota-Radja | Tegal |
| Makassar | Tjilatjap |
| Medan | Welteyreden |
| Padang | |

London Bankers
National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ltd.

Correspondents at the principal places in Europe, Asia, Australia and North America.
The Bank buys, sells and receives for collection bills of exchange, issues letters of credit on its branches and correspondents and transacts banking business of every description.
Shanghai Interest Allowed on current tael accounts and fixed deposits, according to arrangement.

M. J. HERBSCHLEB,
Agent.

## 東亞銀行 The Bank of East Asia Ltd.

SHANGHAI BRANCH
No. 1C Kiukiang Road.

Authorised Capital $10,000,000.00
Paid up Capital $5,000,000.00
Reserved Fund H.K. $500,000.00
HEAD OFFICE: Hongkong.
BRANCHES: Canton, Saigon.
LONDON BANKERS: London Joint City and Midland Bank.
Correspondents in all principal cities of the world. All kinds of banking business transacted.
Interest allowed on current deposits and fixed deposits.
Loans granted on approved securities.

R. CHENG,
Manager.

## Commercial Bank of China

*Head Office: SHANGHAI.*

Sh. Tls.
Subscribed Capital ....5,000,000
Paid-Up Capital .....2,500,000

Advances made on approved securities. Bills discounted.
Interest allowed on Current Accounts at 2 per cent per annum on daily balance. On fixed deposits:—
For 3 months at 3% per annum.
For 6 months at 4% per annum.
For 12 months at 5% per annum.
On deposits in Dollars according to arrangement.

H. C. MARSHALL,
Chief Manager.

## SINO-ITALIAN BANK

Aut. Cap. Silver Dollars. 4,800,000
Aut. Cap. Gold It. Lire 16,000,000
Paid up Capital ..Silver $1,200,000
Paid up Cap. Gold It. Lire 4,000,000
Reserves ..... Silver $150,000
Head Office: Shanghai.
*Branches:*
Hankow, Peking, S'hai, Tientsin.
*Bankers:*
Italy: Credito Italiano.
England: Credito Italiano, National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ld., Glyn Mills and Currie.
France: Banque Francaise of Italienne pour l'Amerique du Sud Comptoir National d'Escompts de Paris Banque Italo Belge
United States: Credito Italiano Equitable Trust Company.
Canada: Canadian Bank of Commerce.
South America: Banca Italo Belge.
Switzerland: Banca Unione di Credito.
Banque Commerciale de le Bale.
Len and Co.'s Bank.
Banca Unione de Credito.
Belgium—Credit General Liegeois
Current, fixed and savings accounts carried in Taels, Dollars, Sterling, U. S. Gold, Italian Lire, Francs and other currencies. Terms on application.
General banking business transacted. Special facilities for Italian exchange.
Telegraphic Address: Sinit
SHANGHAI, No. 16 Kiukiang Road.
Tel. C. Nos. 5090 and 5091.
Managers' Office Central 3004.
C. MARMONT,
CHIN YU SHU.
General Managers.

## Chung Foo Union Bank

(Established in 1916)

Subscribed Capital ..... $2,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital ..... $1,500,000.00
Reserve Fund ..... $200,000.00

SHANGHAI BRANCH
27 Jinkee Road
Telegraphic Address "CHUNGFOO"
Telephone Numbers .... C. 1929 Manager's Office. C. 6468) C. 6469) General Office. C. 6470) C. 5620 T. T. Department.

BRANCHES AND AGENCIES IN CHINA

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| TIENTSIN | Changsha | Hsuchow | Shasi |
| SHANGHAI | Chengteh | Ichang | Soochow |
| PEKING | Chengchow | Kiukiang | Tsinkiangpu |
| HANKOW | Chinkiang | Nanking | Wusieh |
| Antung | Fengtien | Ningpo | Wuhu |
| Canton | Hangchow | Pengpu | Yangchow |
| Changchun | Hongkong | Shaoshing | |

FOREIGN AGENCIES AND CORRESPONDENTS

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Baltimore | Cincinnati | Montreal | San Francisco |
| Berlin | Cleveland | New York | Seattle |
| Boston | Detroit | Osaka | St. Louis |
| Buffalo | Kobe | Philadelphia | Tokio |
| Cebu | London | Pittsburgh | Washington |
| Chicago | Manila | Paris | Yokohama |

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in taels, dollars, and other currencies according to arrangement. Savings Deposits taken. All kinds of Trust Business undertaken.
Safe Deposit Boxes.
Credits granted on approved securities.

Y. B. Sun, Manager,
T. D. Zar, Sub-Manager.

## The Shanghai Commercial & Savings Bank, Ltd.

MEMBER OF THE SHANGHAI BANKERS' ASSOCIATION
Head Offices: 9 Ningpo Road

Capital ..... $2,500,000.00
Reserve ..... $450,000.00
Every description of modern banking and exchange business transacted—Personal, National & International.
Branches and Agencies:
In principal cities throughout China
Foreign Correspondents:

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| London | Yokohama | San Francisco |
| Paris | Tokyo | Singapore |
| Hamburg | New York | Osaka |
| Amsterdam | Chicago | Manila |
| Berlin | Seattle | Kobe |
| Auckland | Zurich | Honolulu |

Cable Address: "COMSAVBANK"

K. P. CHEN,
General Manager.

## The National Commercial Bank, Ltd.

Established 1907.

Capital Fully Paid Up ..... $2,500,000.00
Reserved Fund ..... $830,000.00
Head Office: Shanghai:—Peking & Kiangse Roads.
Manager's Office Cen. 2650.
Telephones: General Office Cen. 2613, 2614 and 2615.
Foreign Exchange Dept. C. 7413.
Branches: Hangchow, Hankow, Peking, Tientsin, Mukden, Harbin,
Foreign Correspondents: London, New York, San Francisco, Paris, Berlin, Zurich, Hamburg, Tokio, Yokohama, Kobe, and Osaka.
Domestic Correspondents at all principal cities in China.
Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels, Dollars, Gold Dollars, and Yen.
Interest allowed on Deposit at call both in Taels and Dollars according to arrangement.
Domestic and Foreign Drafts purchased and sold.
Credit granted on approved securities.
SAVINGS ACCOUNTS 4% PER ANNUM
Every description of banking business transacted.
MODERN SAFE DEPOSIT BOXES FOR RENT.

## EQUITABLE Eastern Banking Corporation

Capital ..... U. S. $2,000,000
Surplus and Undivided Profits ..... U. S. $ 900,000

HEAD OFFICE:—No. 37 Wall Street, New York
Members American Bankers' Association
Correspondents:
The Equitable Trust Company of New York
NEW YORK LONDON PARIS
Mercantile Trust Co., San Francisco, Cal. The Northwestern National Bank, of Portland, Ore. Citizens' National Bank, Los Angeles, Cal.

大通銀行
Shanghai Branch:
6 Kiukiang Road
Central 7944, 7945, 7946 & 7947.
Central 1424—Manager
CURRENT AND FIXED DEPOSITS ACCEPTED
Interest rates on application
Telegraphic Transfers and Drafts bought and sold.

JAS J. ROGERS,
Manager.

## 興業銀行 THE INDUSTRIAL & COMMERCIAL BANK, LTD.

Head Office: Hongkong. Branch Office: Hankow.

Shanghai Branch
51 Kiangse Road
Every description of banking transacted. Correspondents in China and abroad.
Telegraphic Address: "KONGSHAN."
Tel. Nos. C. 3204, 5316 and 6552.

CHI KINHOW, Manager.
Shanghai Branch.

### Steamers Arrived

May 12—Miyaura M. from Japan
May 13—H. N'shao from Ningpo
May 13—H. Peking from Ningpo
Bay 13—Szechuen from H'kong
May 13—Kiangping from C'tao
May 13—Meriones from Japan
May 13—Kyodo M. 13 from Japan
May 13—Taisho M. from Japan
May 13—Loongwo from Hankow
May 13—Chungking from H'kow
May 13—Changon from Hankow
May 13—Nanyang M. from H'kow
May 13—City of Tokio from New York
May 13—Toyora M. from Japan
May 13—Kungping from Ningpo
May 13—Esang from Pukow
May 13—Kaiping from C'tao
May 14—Elpenor from L'pool
May 14—Hsinchi from Foochow
May 14—Fengtien from Tientsin
May 14—Chengtu from Antung
May 14—Aizawa M. from Japan
May 14—Kenkon M. from ..ao
May 14—Loksang from T'tao
May 14—Woosung from Hankow
May 14—Pingwo from Hankow
May 14—Kiangteen from Hankow
May 14—Yohyang M. from H'kow
May 14—Pingyang from Dairen
May 14—Sardinia from London
May 14—Shinlee from Dairen
May 14—Shanghai M. from Jap.
May 14—Shinai M. from .....
May 14—Tsenglee from T'tao
May 14—Gurna from Calcutta
May 14—Fukwang from Hankow
May 14—Feiching from W'chow
May 14—Sunning form H'kong
May 14—Chihli from N'chwang

## Provision Prices In Local Markets

Prices quoted are in Mexican dollar cents at Hongkew Market compiled on May 8, 1923.

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| **Butcher's Meat** | | |
| Beef | per lb. | 16-30 |
| Mutton | ,, | 18-30 |
| Pork | ,, | 30-40 |
| Veal | ,, | 24-35 |
| **Fish** | | |
| Bream | per lb. | 20-25 |
| Cod | ,, | 15-20 |
| Mandarin | ,, | 30-40 |
| Mackerel | ,, | 20-25 |
| Pomfret | ,, | 18-20 |
| Salmon | ,, | 20-25 |
| Samli | ,, | 40-50 |
| Soles | ,, | 16-20 |
| Whitebait | ,, | 15-20 |
| **Game Poultry and Eggs** | | |
| Deer | each | non' |
| Eggs | per doz. | 20-25 |
| Fowl | each | 30-35 |
| Geese | ,, | $1.20-$1.40 |
| Hare | ,, | none |
| Partridge | ,, | none |
| Pheasant | ,, | none |
| Pigeons | ,, | 20-25 |
| Plover | ,, | 8-10 |
| Quail | ,, | 20-22 |
| Snipe | ,, | 14-18 |
| Teal | ,, | 18-20 |
| Turkey | per lb. | 45-50 |
| Woodcock | each | 45-50 |
| Wild Duck | ,, | 40-45 |
| Wild Duck | ,, | none |
| Duck | ,, | 80-$1.00 |
| Wild Pigeon | ,, | none |
| **Fruit** | | |
| Apricots | per lb. | none |
| Apples | ,, | 25-30 |
| Banana | ,, | 12-14 |
| Chestnuts | ,, | 18-20 |
| Melons | each | none |
| Cherries | ,, | 20-25 |
| Cocoanuts | each | 18-20 |
| Figs | per lb. | none |
| Grape fruit | each | 20-25 |
| Lemons | ,, | 8-20 |
| Lichees | per lb. | none |
| Mangoes | each | 15-25 |
| Mangosteens | per doz. | none |
| Oranges | per lb. | 20-25 |
| Peaches | ,, | none |
| Persimmons | ,, | none |
| Peeboes | ,, | none |
| Plums | ,, | 8-10 |
| Pumeloes | each | 25-30 |
| Pineapples | ,, | none |
| Strawberries | per lb. | none |
| Walnuts | ,, | 14-16 |
| **Vegetables** | | |
| Artichokes | per lb. | 3-4 |
| Asparagus | per doz. | 20-30 |
| Bamboo Shoots | per lb. | 10-12 |
| Beetroot | per bunch | 2-3 |
| Broad Beans | ,, | 4-5 |
| Cabbage | each | 5-10 |
| Celery | per bunch | 8-10 |
| Carrots | per bunch | 8-10 |
| Cauliflower | each | 20-30 |
| Egg plant | ,, | 10-12 |
| French Beans | ,, | 14-16 |
| Peas | ,, | 6-8 |
| Green Corn | each | none |
| Leeks | per bunch | 4-6 |
| Mushrooms | per lb. | 60-80 |
| Onions | ,, | 5-8 |
| Potatoes | ,, | $4.50-$5.00 |
| Parsnips | per bunch | 3-4 |
| Radishes | ,, | 1-2 |
| Spinach | per lb. | 3-4 |
| Tomatoes | ,, | 10-12 |
| Turnips | per bunch | 2-3 |
| **Grain And Flour** | | |
| Flour American | per 50 lbs. | $4.50 |
| Floor Shanghai | per 50 lbs. | $3.90 |
| Bran | per 114 lbs. | $3.50 |
| Barley | ,, | $4.80 |
| Rice | per 200 lbs. | $12.60 |
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| Chinese dairies | per bottle | $0.20 |
| Foreign dairies | ,, | $0.35 |
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## Business and Official Notices

CONSULADO GERAL DE PORTUGAL

Recomendo a todos os cidadaes portuguezes residentes n'este Settlement Internacional para que tragam sempre comsigo os seus certificados de Matricula e tambem para que seus filhos do sexo masculino menores de edade (14 a 21 anos) se apresentem n'esta Chancelaria com um seu retrato para obterem—gratis—um carnet de identidade, afim de evitar novas mas interpretacoes sobre as suas as identidades ou nacionalidades.

Consul Geral de Portugal.
Shanghai 15 de Maio 1923.

O Consul Geral,
ALFREDO CASANOVA.

CONSULATE GENERAL FOR PORTUGAL.

All Portuguese citizens living in this Foreign Settlement are hereby earnestly recommended to carry with them at all times their own Registration Certificates, and to send their sons still under age (14 to 21 years old) to this Consulate General with one photograph in order that they be given—free of charge—an identification booklet ("carnet"), so as to avoid any future misinterpretation regarding their identity or nationality.

Consulate General for Portugal at Shanghai, May 15th, 1923.

ALFREDO CASANOVA.
Consul General.
58841 M 15

### MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
No. 3154.

PUBLIC SWIMMING BATH
and
OPEN AIR SWIMMING POOL

The Public Swimming Bath at 189 North Szechuen Road (near the Public School), and the Open Air Swimming Pool, Kiangwan Road (in the Hongkew Park) will be open on and after Tuesday, May 15, 1923 from 6 a.m. to 8 p.m.

The Bath and Pool will be reserved for use as follows:—

**Public Swimming Bath**
6 a.m. to 1 p.m.—Women, and Children (under 12 years of age).
1 p.m. to 8 p.m.—Men and Boys.
**Open Air Swimming Pool**
6 a.m. to 1 p.m.—Men and Boys.
1 p.m. to 4 p.m.—Women, and Children (under 12 years of age).
4 p.m. to 8 p.m.—Men and boys.

The Bath or Pool may be reserved for private parties from 9 p.m. to 11 p.m. on certain nights at a charge of $10 for each reservation for the Bath and $20 for the Pool, fee payable in advance. The charge covers 50 entrants at the Bath and 100 at the Pool: any in excess of that number to be paid for at the rate of 20 Cents each.

Applications for reservations to be made personally at the Public Health Department, 16 Hankow Road.

By order,
E. S. B. Rowe,
*Acting Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, May 11, 1923.
58782 M 17

### Municipal Notification
No. 3155.

Notice is hereby given that a vacancy exists in the Secretariat for a first class Assistant. The selected candidate must be an experienced and capable man, preferably with administrative experience. Pay Tls. 550 per mensem without allowances.

Applications in candidates' own handwriting should state age, qualifications, etc., and should be forwarded, together with testimonials as to character and previous service, to the undersigned on or before Saturday, May 19.

By order,
E. S. B. ROWE,
Acting Secretary.

Council Room,
Shanghai, May 12, 1923.
58804 M 19

### In The International Mixed Court Of Shanghai

Chinese Civil Case No. 502-A.
Re: CHINESE CARPET & RUG FACTORY, LIMITED.
廠毯地國中
38 Broadway & 701 Thorburn Road.
(Petition in Bankruptcy

A petition in bankruptcy has been filed in the above matter, and, by an Order of this Honourable Court dated 8th May, 1923, the undersigned were appointed Interim Receivers.

Take notice that the Court will grant the petition unless objection thereto is lodged within two weeks of the said Order.

Creditors are required to send to the undersigned their names and addresses and particulars of their debts or claims on or before 12th June, 1923, after which date no further claims will be recognised.

All debts due to the estate should be paid to us forthwith and debtors are warned not to pay their debts to any person or persons other than ourselves.

SETH, MANCELL & McLURE,
Official Court Accountants.
7 Avenue Edward VII,
Shanghai, 12th May, 1923.
58802

### Dog & Pony Show

As many children are shortly leaving Shanghai for the summer holidays, it has been arranged to Judge the CHILDREN'S HACKS CLASS (postponed from May 5th), on the Polo Ground at 5 p.m. on Friday, May 18.

It has been impossible yet to arrange for the other Hacks and Jumping Classes, but the Committee hope to make an announcement this week.

HARRY K. STRACHAN,
Hon. Sec. and Treas.
58825 M 15

### NOTICE

The J. E. Hayes Engineering Corporation hereby notify the public that Power of Attorney for the Corporation held by Mr. George C. Haun has been cancelled as of May 3rd, 1923.

THE J. E. HAYES ENGINEERING CORPORATION.
J. E. HAYES,
President.

### NOTICE

Effective as of May 3rd, 1923, Mr. J. E. Harris, Jr. as been appointed Manager with Power of Attorney in fact for the J. E. Hayes Engineering Corporation in Shanghai, territory of Central and South China and the Philippines.

THE J. E. HAYES ENGINEERING CORPORATION.
J. E. HAYES,
President.
58839 M 17

Mr. James Lelas has been appointed Manager of the Reuters' Commercial and Financial Service in succession to the late Mr. Thomas Jones.

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58849 M 15

IN THE MATTER OF
### The Peregrine Steamship Co., Ltd.

At an extraordinary general meeting of the above-named Company, duly convened, and held at No. 1 The Bund, Shanghai, on the 20th day of April, 1923, the following resolution was duly passed, and at a subsequent extraordinary general meeting of the members of the said Company, also duly convened, and held at the same place on the 11th day of May, 1923, the same resolution was duly confirmed as a special resolution, viz:

"That the Company be wound up voluntarily and that Alexander McLure and Tom Griffin both of Shanghai be appointed joint and several liquidators for the purposes of such winding up."

Dated the 11th day of May, 1923.

ERIC MOLLER,
Chairman.

Witness to the
Signature of ERIC MOLLER,
ALLAN G. MOSSOP,
Barrister-at-law, Shanghai.
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NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

Examination of ship's damaged cargo ex the S.S. "PRESIDENT GRANT" will be held at the China Merchants Central Wharf on Thursday, May 17th, at 9:30 a.m., when Messrs. Eisler, Reeves and Murphy, Marine Surveyors, will be in attendance.

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58784 M 17

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One Stereoscopic Camera Richart in brown leather case, left in motor car for hire. Reward $60.

Manager, Grand Kalee Hotel.
58811 M 15

### S.S. "Anna Kayser" from Hamburg and Antwerp

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

Examination of broken and ship-damaged cargo will be held at the Kaiyosha Company's Yangtze Wharf, May 18th, 1923, at 10 a.m., when Messrs. Parker, Reilly and Simmens will be in attendance.

58799 M 16

### Shanghai Lawn Tennis Association

OPEN MIXED DOUBLES COMPETITION.
HONG DOUBLES COMPETITION

Entries for the above two Championships must be sent to the undersigned on or before 25th May. No entry will be accepted unless accompanied by the entrance fee.

Entrance Fee: $5 for each event.

C. E. WHITAMORE,
Hon. Secretary & Treasurer.
H.B.M. Consulate-General.
58800 M 26

### The China Import and Export Lumber Co., Ltd.

Notice is hereby given that the Twenty-first Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the Offices of the General Managers, No. 6 Kiukiang Road, Shanghai (second floor), on Wednesday, the 30th of May, 1923, at 3:00 p.m.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 23rd to the 30th of May, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board of Directors,
ARNHOLD & CO., LTD.,
General Agents & Managers.
Shanghai, May 13th, 1923.
58797

### Shanghai Land Valuers & Surveyors' Society

The first Ordinary General Meeting will be held at No. 28 Jinkee Road on Thursday next, May 17, 1923, at 5 p.m., at which a paper on "BETTERMENT" will be read.

N. L. SPARKE,
Hon. Secretary
28 Jinkee Road.
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**ENTERTAINMENT & DANCE.**

By Order of the Committee S. C. C.
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Notice is hereby given to warn the general public that the aforementioned Bills were lost in the mails from Yangchow to Shanghai, and that the same shall not be either purchased or mortgaged. The Ministry of Finance, the Bank of China, and the Bank of Communications have been notified of the loss in question, to the end that both payment of the principal and the interest may be stopped. All the stock exchanges, share-brokers, banks and native banks are hereby warned not to negotiate the said Bills,

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### Chinese Government Railways Shanghai Hangchow Ningpo Line

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### NOTICE.

**Yangtszepoo Lawn Bowls Club**
Members are notified that the Wayside Park south Bowling Green will be open for play on Tuesday, May 15.
OPENING MATCH
President's Team v. Vice-President's Team
will be played on
Saturday, May 19, at 3:45 p.m.
Players will be selected on the ground.
By order of the Committee.
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### The China Import and Export Lumber Co., Ltd.,

EXTRAORDINARY MEETING

Notice is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above Company will be held at the Offices of the General Managers, No. 6 Kiukiang Road, Shanghai (second floor), on Wednesday, the 30th of May, 1923, at 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon to consider and vote on proposed alterations and amendments to the Articles of Association of the Company as circularized to Shareholders.

By order of the Board of Directors,
ARNHOLD & CO., LTD.,
General Agents & Managers.
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### NOTICE

The Annual Meeting of the Men's Total Abstinence League will be held at No. 12 Jinkee Road, on Wednesday, May 16, 1923, at 5.30 p.m.

Members and all men interested in the Temperance Cause are urged to attend. The future of the work will be discussed.

W. M. CAMERON,
Acting Secretary.
May 11, 1923. 58764 M 16

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### Hankow and Ports

The Hoong On S. N. Co.'s [illegible] Chang-on Captain K. C. Lee, will leave from the Ningpao Wharf, Chinese Bund, Nantao, on Tuesday, the 15th May, at about 12 o'clock (midnight). Passage Money, Shanghai to Hankow, $40 single and $80 return. For Freight or Passage apply to office of the Company, No. 'B Hankow Road. Telephone: Freight 1520 Passage 3258
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### Chinese Government Railways
TIENTSIN-PUKOW LINE

NOTIFICATION No. 327

INVITATION OF TENDERS FOR PUBLIC ADVERTISEMENT ALONG THE WHOLE LINE

1.—The tender is open for the public from May 5th to June 5th 1923 after the latter date no tender will be accepted.
2.—It must be clearly stated in the tender, the amount in Tientsin currency to be paid to the Administration annually in advance by the Contractor. The envelope shall be closed and sealed with sealing wax bearing a stamp and marked "TENDER FOR PUBLIC ADVERTISEMENT ALONG THE WHOLE LINE."
3.—Tenders must be forwarded under Registered Post to the Tientsin-Pukow Railway Administration.
4.—A deposit of $200.00 for the tender must be sent through Traffic Section, Head Office to Accounts Department for safekeeping and in exchange for a receipt.
5.—Tenders not being registered nor accompanied with deposits shall be considered as invalid.
6.—Tenders will be opened before the public at 3 p.m. on 8th June 1923 at the Head Office. The one who offers the highest bid will obtain the contract subject to proper Agreement to be stipulated according to the Administration's Advertisement Regulations and Sub-Rules.
7.—The Administration shall reserve the right to reject the highest offer, when the offer is lower than the minimum amount estimated by the Administration.
8.—After opening of tenders, deposit of each bidder will be returned on presentation of his receipt.
9.—For further information and details apply to the Traffic Section, Head Office, Tientsin.

(Sd.) SUN FUNG TSAO,
Managing Director.
Tientsin, 7th May, 1923.
58754 M 17

### Chinese Government Railways,
TIENTSIN-PUKOW LINE.

NOTIFICATION NO. 328.
THROUGH 3rd CLASS TICKET (194/51).

The public is hereby informed that owing to the limited accommodation in the 3rd Class of our Express Trains Nos. 1 and 2 the Administration has obtained the sanction of the Ministry of Communications that commencing from 16th May, 1923, the booking of Through 3rd Class Tickets for passengers travelling by Express Trains will be confined to the following stations, namely, Tientsin-East Tientsin Central, Tsinanfu, Hsuchowfu and Pukow; but issue of Through Tickets for the same class from Tsinanfu to Fengtai on Peking-Mukden Line and Chinkiang on Shanghai-Nanking Line is suspended.

Third Class Berth Ticket at the rate of $1.00 per passenger will be charged in addition to rail ticket from the same date.

Servants travelling with passengers of 1st or 2nd class of the Express may book Through 3rd Class Tickets at other Through Booking Stations on this line as usual.

THE TIENTSIN-PUKOW RAILWAY, Administration.
Tientsin, 9th May, 1923.
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SHANHGAI, MAY 16, 1923


**WEATHER**

*Cloudy and cool weather in our Valley. Fresh North-Westerly winds over the Yellow and the Eastern Seas. The depression will cross Southern Kiusiu Eastwards. Low pressures area over Kiangsi. Unsteady winds or breezes in the South.*

## America And The League

THE chief importance of Secretary Hoover's address to the League of Women Voters a few days ago lies in the fact that it indicates the purpose of the American Administration. The Secretary evidently spoke in the name of the President, and after consultation with him. Consequently there must now be an end of the silly gossip that Mr. Harding has been swayed from his original intention. It was no sudden or haphazard thought or hint that led him to urge Congress to bring America into the World Court. This was not an impulsive suggestion which he threw out, but a deliberately chosen policy. The idea that he could be induced to abandon it by the fussy protests of a few members of the Senate Old Guard was ridiculous from the first. Mr. Hoover has now given the quietus to it.

It should be noted that the Secretary, like the President, referred to our joining the International Court of Justice merely as "another step" in the application of the principles which our Government hopes to follow in striving for the removal of the causes of war. What the remaining steps may be, Mr. Hoover did not plainly state. He cited many respectable Republican pronouncements in favor of an International Court of Justice. He might have cited as many and as weighty in favor of the League of Nations. Referring to that subject, Mr. Hoover said that it must frankly be admitted that there still are hundreds of thousands of Americans who are "under the tyranny of emotions" connected with the mere phrase "League of Nations."

No one should be more keenly aware of this than Mr. Hoover himself. He helped to excite those emotions. His name was among those of Republicans signed to the statement which was issued shortly before the election of 1920 assuring the voters that the best way to bring the United States into the League of Nations was to make Mr. Harding President. Others may now think or say that the League must be entirely dissociated from the World Court, and not even mentioned in current public discussion, but that is impossible for Secretary Hoover. He knows that the whole subject is up and must be thought through and argued to a conclusion. The more the timid politicians enjoin hush about the League of Nations, the more will a gathering force of public opinion demand that it be debated and redebated in all its bearings.

# "Don't Sleep," Advises Lardner, Interpreting Dreams

To the Editor:

I have been asked by several stupid readers to devote a few paragraphs this wk. to horoscopes and the interpretation of dreams.

It seems like a good many people aint satisfied with what the are getting along these lines in the daily prints as they figure that the so called experts that is writing in regards to same has no got the proper back ground or have put the proper amt. of study into the subject whereas it is a pretty well established fact that I am a witch along these lines and practally all I have done in the last 5 yrs. is study these subjects until I have now reached the pt where giving a horoscope or interpreting a dream is like rolling on a log as far as I am concerned.

Well it looks like the best way to dispose of this subject on this occasion like for inst. March 31 April 1 and April 2 and give the horoscopes of same beginning with March 31.

A person that is born on this day will genally always be born with no clothes on and their 1st errand in life is to go out and buy themself a suit of civilian clothes. Blue serge, Scotch cheviots, or tweed homespun is the best material for parties born on this date. It is a remarkable fact that no females was ever born on this date, just men.

A person born on this date should wait a few yrs. and then either shave themself or get shaved at a high class barber shop at lease every 3 days as their whiskers is libel to be laughable.

The old adage comes in mighty handy in this horoscoppe, namely, that if March comes in like a lion it will go out like a lamb. Truer wd. was never spoke in test. So if the new born babe comes in roaring like a lion its parents should try and get them a membership in the Lambs.

Most people born on this date is very funny. The 1st wd. they say is libel to create a sensation amongst the wits of the present era and before they get to be 3 yrs. old they will be a big trial to their mother.

The majority of people born on this date is libel to be born with arms bare and should ought to make haste to cover up these highly sensitive organs.

April 1 is genally known as all fools day and a person born on this day is nessarily 1-2 witted. Most of the people born on this day is the opp. sex.

A person born on this day is libel to make some man unhappy. They should never get their hair bobbed until of age. They should never try to look funnier than nature made them.

They should realise when they grow up that 3 ash trays is not enough furniture for a home.

April 2—These people is born murderers. The party who put the bomb in Wall St. was born on the 2 of April. They should be brought up with one idear namely that sooner or later they will be found out.

A person born on the 2 of April should never sign a strange name to a check. If they turn out to be a pitcher they should never pitch a low curve inside to Babe Ruth. They should always take care of their mother.

People born on the 2 of April must be careful in regards to drinking whisky and should never drink more than a qt. before breakfast or 3 qts in a day.

Now we will take up the interpretation of dreams. J. M. G. writes that 4 nights ago he went to bed in a perfectly natural way and had not been a sleep more than 10 minutes when he had this dream:

It seems like he was on a boat when suddenly, they was a million roaches come knocking at the door of the state room. Several of them was old timers who he recognised.

He allowed the 1st few 100 to come in and they started a poker game. The 1st hand that was dealt turned out to be a miss deal and most of the players got mad and left the state room. At 1-2 past 4 the next morning a ferret come into the room and they was a big argument with the remaining roaches. They called each other terrible names. During a quietus they all went out. What does it mean inquires J. M. G.

Well that dream is so old that a person can't help from thinking the man must be stupid or he would of had it before. The dream means just this that he was living in a hotel where they was too many guests in one rm. and his move was to either move into the next rm. or spend a few days in absolute silence. Somewhere in his past they must of been noble blood.

R. M. P. writes: A few yrs. ago I had a terrible nightmare. They seemed to be a 1,000 insects in the room, most of them belligerent. For 4 hrs. I succeeded in fighting them to a standstill and then suddenly they seemed to be getting the best of me. A wk. before having this dream I had a fallout with the grocery man and his wife. Just at this moment the room was invaded by a swarm of moth balls. What is the answer writes R. M. P.

**The dream is so frequent that practally nobody is immune.** It means simply that the man that dreams these kind of dreams is bound to have those kind of dreams and should not allow himself to go to sleep. He is making a sucker of himself and everybody else. He is suffering from a severe attack of lurga.

## More Truth Than Poetry

BY S. E. KISER

In a window that I pass on the way to earn my wage
Sits a parrot on a stick that extends across a cage.
"Here!" the bird squawks, "take a look; I am Polly; this is Me!"
Frowsy feathers, horny beak—nothing wonderful to see.

Men, it often seems to me—or most men, to be exact—
Are a great deal like the bird, screeching out one little fact.
Every man who gets his feet set upon a porch that's high
Seems to say to all who pass: "Please take notice; here am I!"

Every actor in the play wants to have the leading part;
Each may like to think and say that his mind is on his art,
But the notice of the crowd each is eager to command;
If his hope were said aloud he would tell you; "Here I stand."

Those who lecture, those who write, speak of truths that must be told,
But they always seem to me to be saying: "Wait, behold!"
And the heroes who appear, proud with epaulettes and braid,
Say to all the world: "Look here! Cheer us; we are unafraid."

Little men who work and wait for the big, eventful day
Think their tasks could not be done if they passed upon the way;
Like the parrot in the cage, each, whoever he may be,
Master, servant, fool or sage keeps repeating: "This is Me!"

## To Be Successful Review Plans And Systematise Work

BY J. J. MUNDY

How often do you review your plans and systematise your work?

You say you do about so much every day anyway and are never idle.

That may be true, but you might accomplish a lot more if you would take time to plan and work out the steps you must take to gain the desired end.

Hit-and-miss work does not pay.

If your purpose is not definitely before you, you are likely to do too much along one line and neglect another. This makes for confusion.

The surest way to succeed is to have the intended result clearly in mind, both as to the nature of the work and the time it should take to accomplish it.

Then map out the steps necessary and prepare yourself in every way to a successful issue.

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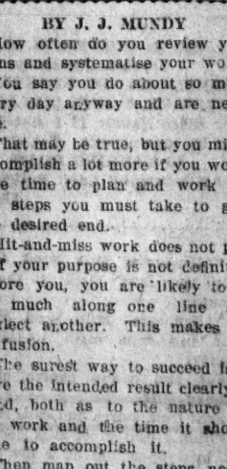


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# Senator Moses Finds England Discussing War With France

BY GEORGE H. MOSES

London, by mail.—The American traveler revisiting these shores after an absence of ten years finds an astonishing scanty change in the externals of things, even though the world has gone round so many times in the interval and half a dozen wars have taken place and the air is still filled with rumors of new ones.

London is reaching to whatever is the British equivalent of a "bigger brighter and busier" city; the old and begrimed buildings are receiving a bath and a coating of distemper. New construction is proceeding at an astonishing rate when one considers the cost of materials and labor. British shipping chieftains are rejoicing in the the defeat of the Ship Subsidy bill in the American Congress and are looking forward to an unchallenged primacy on the seas for another generation at least.

The British Isles once more regard themselves as the seat of tribute from all the world—and there is little on the surface of things to mitigate the general feeling of superiority and supremacy which has seemed for so many generations to belong, as of right, to this tight little island.

**SEES OMENS OF BIG DISASTER**

But underneath all this there is a something which escapes definition, but which contains the germ, at least, of a great problem, perhaps today seems to be paralleled in a degree, at any rate, by that which I found here on my first visit to London, some fifteen years ago.

I arrived here then when the first Imperial Press Conference was in progress, and I found myself lodged at the same hotel with the delegates who attended the gathering. The talk then was all of the approaching and inevitable war with Germany and of the possibility, indeed the probability, of a German invasion.

One would have thought that the German was at the door—and I remember vividly that a cynical companion then remarked, after having observed the leisurely manners of commercial London, that if the Germans ever did come to capture London and arrived before nine o'clock in the morning, the trick could be easily turned.

**TALK OF WAR WITH FRANCE**

Today the talk is all of the possible—indeed, as many frankly say, the probable—war with France. Only this time no one excepts the French to come before nine o'clock in the morning—or even by daylight at all—but at night, with the great force of aircraft which France has brought together, and with which they think, as England fears, they will lay London waste and end the war before it really begins.

The matter of the Ruhr gives thinking Englishmen great concern. The newspapers, the public speakers, people generally who talk when they think any one is listening the great French adventure—but they keep up a deal of thinking as to what it is all about. They know, perhaps better, than any one else, that the French army, 700,000 strong, is the world's greatest fighting machine today.

What is much more to the point, they know that the British Isles, whatever one may say of the rest of the empire, are fed up wih warfare. They do not like to pursue the thought, even with themselves, and so Parliament diverts itself with debate about industrial insurance, with academic discussion of the manner in which naval disarmament is to be brought about, and with all and sundry of the features in the program of uplift which the growing Labor party hopes to impose upon the country.

This last, however, presents a contingency which may bring astounding results any day. Few people outside the limited circle of those who study British politics, realise that the leader of His Majesty's Opposition, which is a recognised post in British public life, is Ramsay McDonald, leader of the Labor party in the House of Commons; that he stands at the head of the largest single group of those who oppose the Government, and that it is to him that the King, under the traditions of British parliamentary practices must turn for the formation of a Cabinet in the event that the Prime Minister, Bonar Law, should by any mischance fall on some important vote to maintain his majority.

**VOTERS GROWING RESTLESS**

At the moment this seems superficially impossible. The prevailing trend of the by-elections, however, is in quite this direction. For some reason which nobody here has yet satisfactorily explained, the phlegmatic British voter appears to have become impregnated with the mercurial quality which we generally speak of in some disdain as being the peculiar characteristic of the Latin temperament, but which some of us in the States have come to know in recent elections as being not entirely absent from the American political mentality.

Governments, it would seem, are held in light esteem among democracies nowadays, and in England just now, as in the United States, there is a real concern in official circles over the unknown partisan proclivities of the recently enfranchised women. There is here, too, as with us, the problem of the indifferent voter. It takes a Roosevelt in America or a Lloyd George in England, to make sure that the electorate is never bored, and this type of statesman is by no means of the common or garden variety anywhere.


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## The Star "Beta Ceti"

BY GARRETT P. SERVISS

*(Eminent Astronomer and Authority on Subjects of Scientific Interest)*

The sudden remarkable brightening of the star Beta Ceti has set people guessing about what would happen to the earth and its inhabitants if a similar accident should occur to the sun, which is a star belonging to nearly the same type as Beta Ceti.

In rising from the second to the first magnitude, Beta Ceti increased nearly two and a half times in brightness, and we may say the increase of the heat radiated by that suddenly enraged sun upon any planets that may revolve around was in the same ratio.

Let the same thing happen to the sun and the consequences to the earth would be terrible. The doubling of the quantity of heat poured by the sun upon the earth would mean much more than just doubling the temperature shown by the thermometer.

In its present condition the sun supplies enough heat to the earth to raise the mean temperature at its surface 519 degrees above absolute zero, or 28 degrees above the freezing point. But let the heat be doubled and the mean temperature at the earth's surface would become 1038 degrees above absolute zero, or 1010 degrees above freezing!

Is there any reason to suppose that such a disaster could ever happen to the sun and the earth? Yes, there is reason to suppose it possible, although the chance of its actually occurring within any assignable time is negligibly small.

Any one searching for signs of possible trouble might try what he could make out of the fact that Beta Ceti is, as already said, of a stellar type similar to that of the sun. They are both "G" stars, i. e., they both belong to the class of stars whose spectrum, as Campbell has said, "seems to indicate the summit of stellar life." From that summit of the years of a star there begins a decline, leading downward first to the yellow stars of class "K," and so on toward the dying red stars.

It may be thought significant in connection with the recent outburst that Beta Ceti, which is a larger sun than ours, is somewhat farther advanced in its class. Does that mean that the sun is advancing toward a state when it will be more liable than now to a catastrophe? We do not know. There is not enough statistical evidence to furnish an answer. Our life-span is so short that our observations of these events in the heavens are like those that an ephemerid, living only through one morning's hours, might make upon the changes of a Summer.

The cause of such outbreaks as that of Beta Ceti is not certainly known. Some think that the cause is internal, arising from the action of forces concerned in the life history of the star, and this seems most probable. Others imagine that a collision with some huge wandering non-luminous body, an immense comet, or an extinguished sun even, would account for the phenomenon.

Still others lean to the hypothesis of a great dark nebula through which the star ploughs its way flaming up in consequence of friction and impact. Certain it is that immense masses of dark matter have in late years been detected in the heavens in close apparent neighborhood to stars and star clouds.

In settling this question the spectroscope will offer the most trustworthy evidence. The case of Beta Ceti differs from that of "new stars" principally in the fact that with them the increase of brightness is often thousands of times, while before their appearance they are either utterly invisible or shine with so faint a light that astronomers have no record of their existence except, perhaps, upon photographic plates, where the tiny points representing them go unnoticed until the sudden outburst in the sky calls attention to the particular spots where they lie.

Beta Ceti is unfortunately placed for observation now. It is in the western part of the constellation "Whale," and sets quickly after sunset, while it does not rise in the morning sky until after daybreak.

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## The Christian Scholar

*(P. and T. Times)*

We have received from Greenville, South Carolina, a report of a sermon by the Rev. George Truett, which contains what is truly described as a remarkable to Christianity. It will be especially interesting to residents of North China, as it reveals that there is at least one place in the world, in addition to Mukden, which has learned to appreciate "a great Chinese Scholar and Christian."

The reverened gentleman (we refer now to Mr. Truett) mentions that Chang To-lin was formerly a Confuscianist. He has himself apparently joined the ranks of confucianists.

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"I was especially impressed with a remark made some years ago when the great World war threatened the very foundation of our civilisation, by that great Chinese scholar and Christian, Chang Tso-lin. L'n in his early life was a Confuscianist. Later he began a study of Christianity and became converted.

"And when this erstwhile follower of Confucius away over on the other side of the world had given over his heart to Christ he said one day that above all times this is the one in which men should have faith in God. Of all messages ever broadcast to an evil ridden world I believe this was one of the most impressive I ever heard.

"'Above all times this is one in which men should have faith in God. This same Chinaman later declared that Christianity has two elements which draw men to it and make a lasting and indelible impression on their souls. First, Christianity makes men brothers' and secondly, 'makes men grow.' These two cardinal principals as diagnosed by Lin made him a changed man and brought the unfailing light of Christianity into his soul."

Still Chang may have been attracted by the Sermon on the Mount "Blessed are the meek, for they shall inherit the earth."

## Famous Ghosts

BY OLIVER E. CARRUTH

Ghosts are popularly supposed to be afraid only of silver bullets; the ordinary, garden variety of lead bullets they laugh to scorn, tradition says. Yet there was at least one ghostlike appearance which was put to flight by lead bullets, if the testimony of eye-witnesses is to be believed. This was the celebrated wraith of Catherine the Great of Russia, seen while the Empress was very much alive. Perhaps a wraith, which the dictionary defines as "an apparition of a person in his exact likeness, seen before death or a little after," is different from a "regular" ghost. Anyway, Catherine's wraith disappeared when the stout-hearted Empress ordered her guard to fire upon it, presumably with lead bullets, as history says nothing about her soldiers being equipped with silver missiles.

The rout of Catherine's wraith was seen by the Comte de Ribaupierre. He told the story to Lady Napier, who related it as follows:

"In the exercise of his duties as one of the page-in-waiting, Ribaupierre followed one day his august mistress into the throne-room of the palace. When the Empress, accompanied by the high officers of her court and the ladies of her household, came in sight of the chair of state which she was about to occupy, she suddenly stopped, and, to the horror and astonished awe of her courtiers, she pointed to a visionary being seated on the Imperial throne. The occupant of the chair was an exact likeness of herself. All saw it and trembled, but none dared to move toward the mysterious presentment of their sovereign.

"After a moment of dead silence, the great Catherine raised her voice and ordered her guard to advance and fire on the apparition. The order was obeyed, a mirror beside the throne was shattered, the vision had disappeared, and the Empress, with no sign of emotion, took the chair from which her semblance had passed away."

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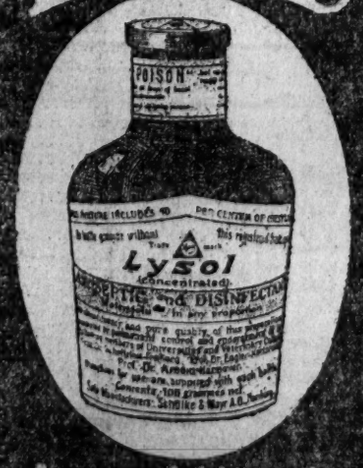


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The C.N. s.s. Liangchow left Hongkong on Sunday and is due in Shanghai on Thursday.

The C.N. s.s. Kanchow will leave Hongkong today and is due in Shanghai on Saturday.

The I-C. s.s. Yatshing was due to leave Hongkong last Sunday and is expected to arrive in Shanghai via Swatow on Thursday.

The I-C. s.s. Tingsang is due to leave Hongkong today and arriving in Shanghai via Swatow on Saturday. Ba.l

NORTHERN PORTS

The I-C. s.s. Waishing is due in Shanghai from Tientsin, Chefoo and Weihaiwei this morning.

The C.N. s.s. Shuntien left Tientsin on Sunday and is due in Shanghai via Chefoo and Weihaiwei tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Shantung will leave Tsingtao today and is due in Shanghai on Thursday.

The D.K.K. s.s. Sakaki Maru left Dairen yesterday and is due in Shanghai via Tsingtao on Thursday.

The C.M. s.s. Hsinchang will leave Tientsin for Lungkow, Hongkong and Canton today.

JAPAN PORTS

The N.Y.K. s.s. Nikko Maru Kobe and Moji tomorrow and will dock at the N. Y. K. Mail Wharf.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Nagaaki Maru is due in Shanghai from Nagasaki Thursday morning and will dock at the Wayside Wharf.

INDIAN LINES

The P. and O. s.s. Soudan left Bombay for Shanghai via ports at 9 o'clock Thursday morning, May 9.

The B.I. s.s. Japan left Calcutta on Wednesday morning, May 9 and is due to arrive in Shanghai about June 3.

EUROPEAN LINES

The P. & O. s.s. Devanha left London on April 27 at 2 p.m. and is expected to arrive in Shanghai via ports on June 6.

The P. & O. s.s. Malwa was due to leave London on Friday and is expected to arrive in Shanghai via ports on June 20.

The Norwegian, Africa and Australia Line s.s. Tana, from Christiania and ports, left Antwerp on April 28 and is expected to arrive in Shanghai about June 15.

The N.D.L. s.s. Schlesien, from Hamburg, left Port Said on May 3 and is expected to arrive in Shanghai on June 6.

The Glen Line m.v. Glentara is due to arrive in Shanghai from London on June 7.

The P. & O. s.s. Delta, from London on April 13 with mail, was expected to leave Singapore for Hongkong and Shanghai yesterday.

The M.M. s.s. Amboise will leave Shanghai for Marseilles on Friday, May 25, at 5 p.m. and passengers may embark at the S.M.R. Whangpoo Wharf after 3 o'clock.

The Ben Line s.s. Benavon, from London on April 13, is expected to arrive in Shanghai about June 12.

The Ben Line s.s. Bendoran, from London on April 20, is expected to arrive in Shanghai about June 19.

The Ben Line s.s. Benrinnes, from London on May 4, is expected to arrive in Shanghai about July 3.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Kitano Maru is due in Shanghai from Kobe on Thursday and will sail for Marseilles and London via ports at daybreak on Saturday. The tender with outgoing passengers will leave the Customs jetty at 5 o'clock Friday afternoon.

The P. & O. s.s. Nyanza is due to leave Yokohama next Friday and arriving in Shanghai on May 23. The vessel will sail fro London via ports on Saturday, May 26.

and ports yesterday morning and docked at the Shanghai and Hongkew Wharf.

The M.M. s.s. Cordillere, with the French mail of April 6, left Hongkong yesterday and is expected to arrive in Shanghai early Thursday morning. The vessel will dock at the S.M.R. Whangpoo Wharf about 5 o'clock.

AMERICAN LINES

The Dollar s.s. Robert Dollar was due to leave New York the Orient on Sunday, May 13.

The Columbia Pacific s.s. Hannawa is due in Shanghai from Portland, Oregon on May 23 and will sail for the same port via Hongkong and Manila on May 27.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President Jackson is due to leave Seattle yesterday and is expected to arrive in Shanghai via Yokohama and Kobe on May 31.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President McKinley which sailed from Seattle on May 2, was due to arrive at Yokohama yesterday and is expected in Shanghai on May 19.

The P.M. s.s. President Cleveland which sailed from San Francisco on May 3, was due to leave Honolulu on Wednesday and is expected in Shanghai via Yokohama and Kobe on May 23.

The C.P.S. s.s. Empress of Canada which sailed from Vancouver on May 3, was due a Yokohama yesterday and is expected to arrive in Shanghai on May 18.

The Columbia Pacific s.s. West Keats is due to arrive in Shanghai from Portland, Oregon on May 29 and will sail for the same port via Tsingtao, Taku Bar and Dairen on May 31.

The Columbia Pacific s.s. Wawalona is due to arrive in Shanghai from Portland, Oregon on June 1 and will sail for the same port via Hongkong and Manila on June 3.

The P.M. s.s. President Pierce is due to leave San Francisco next Thursday and is expected to arrive in Shanghai via Honolulu, Yokohama and Kobe on June 6.

The C.P.S. s.s. Empress of Russia is due to leave Vancouver next Thursday and arriving in Shanghai via Japan ports on June 1.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President Grant left Shanghai on Sunday morning and is due to arrive in Seattle via Kobe and Yokohama on May 29.

## Sailed from Shanghai

FOR SAN FRANCISCO

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|---|---|
| President Pierce | Apr. 14 |
| Siberia Maru | Apr. 18 |
| Nile | Apr. 21 |
| President Wilson | Apr. 29 |
| Taiyo Maru | May 1 |
| Tahchee | May 2 |
| Levant Arrow | May 6 |
| Eldridge | May 8 |
| President Lincoln | May 12 |

FOR VANCOUVER

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|---|---|
| Empress of Russia | Apr. 21 |
| Canadian Highlander | May 1 |
| Empress of Australia | May 7 |

FOR SEATTLE

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| Arabia Maru | Apr. 13 |
| Esthen Allen | May 10 |
| Horaisan Maru | Apr. 17 |
| President Jackson | Apr. 19 |
| Arizona Maru | Apr. 23 |
| Eldridge | Apr. 25 |
| Hanley | Apr. 27 |
| Edmore | Apr. 28 |
| President Jefferson | May 1 |
| Manila Maru | May 4 |
| President Grant | May 13 |

FOR PORTLAND, ORE.

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| West Jessup | Apr. 14 |
| West O'Rowa | Apr. 28 |
| West Nomentum | May 4 |
| Pawlet | May 9 |
| West Niger | May 11 |

FOR NEW YORK

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|---|---|
| Archer | Apr. 11 |
| Samaria | Apr. 11 |
| Karonga | Apr. 23 |
| Taketoyo Maru | Apr. 24 |
| Atreus | May 3 |
| Coaxet | May 3 |
| Havre Maru | May 7 |
| Dacre Castle | May 9 |
| Diana Dollar | Apr. 2 |
| Takaoka Maru | May 13 |
| Eurylochus | May 13 |

FOR UNITED KINGDOM

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| Lycaon | Apr. 14 |
| Nankin | Apr. 14 |
| Dorlestar | Apr. 15 |
| Demodocus | Apr. 19 |
| Agapenor | Apr. 19 |
| Mishima Maru | Apr. 21 |
| Karmala | Apr. 28 |
| Mentor | May 2 |
| Teucer | May 4 |
| Toyohashi Maru | May 6 |
| Hakozaki Maru | May 6 |
| City of Florence | May 7 |
| Perseus | May 10 |
| Kashgar | May 12 |

FOR ROTTERDAM

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| Banka | Apr. 26 |
| Tjitaroem | Apr. 26 |

FOR HAMBURG

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| Pfalz | Apr. 12 |
| Rhineland | Apr. 18 |
| City of Poona | Apr. 24 |
| Glenade | Apr. 24 |
| Havenstein | May 1 |
| Werra | May 7 |
| Amazon Maru | May 9 |

FOR COPENHAGEN

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| Chile | Apr. 21 |

FOR MARSEILLES

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| Armand Behic | Apr. 14 |
| Paul Lecat | Apr. 27 |
| Andre Lebon | Mal 11 |

FOR TRIESTE

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| Venezia | Apr. |

## Passengers Departed

Per I-C. s.s. Kutwo for Hankow: Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Maze, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Dupree, Miss I. M. Livingston, Mrs. H. Moller and infant, Messrs. E. Gordon Lowder, W. R. Kates, Geo. N. Hayward W. J. Gande, E. H. Villers.

Per C.N. s.s. Tungchow for Weihaiwei: General Sir John Fowler, Lady Fowler, Misses Fowler (2), Gordon, Capt., Humphrey; for Chefoo: Mrs. E. Gendrean and child, Mrs. J. S. Abbott and child, Mrs. H. A. Flavangen and two children, Mrs. J. H. Severyns, Mrs. H. M. M. Cormick, Mrs. J. H. Folge and child, Mrs. C. W. Holt and child, Mrs. J. L. Honoway and infant, Mr. A. J. Desantels, Mrs. Dell; for Tientsin: Mr. and Mrs. Brewitt Taylor, Mrs. E. H. Murphy, Messrs. McKinley, C. S. Weil.

Per C.N. s.s. Whangpu for Nanking: Mr. and Mrs. Dupree.

Per C.N. s.s. Hsin Peking for Ningpo: Misses Wells, F. Miller, Burlinson, Barlow, Mrs. C. H. Barlow, Messrs. E. S. Hildrith, E. M. Smith.

Per C.N. s.s. Shengking for Hungchow: Messrs. F. Teh Sing, H. J. Moysey, B. W. Bennett; for Hankow: Messrs. J. L. Stuart, A. Stielor.

Per C.N. s.s. Shantung for Tsingtao: Dr. and Mrs. Yocum & child.

Per C.N. s.s. Yingchow for Swatow: Messrs. C. H. Lavers, N. C. Woo Man Chi; for Hongkong: Mr. R. W. Lee Jones; for Canton: Mr. R. C. W. Behrand.

Per P. & O. s.s. Kashgar for London: Surg. Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. G. S. Harvey, Lt. Comdr. J. Harrison R.N., Mr. and Mrs. J. H. and Master Inwood, Mr. and Mrs. W. Sparks, Miss E. Poulsen, Mrs. T. E. Watts, Mr. and Mrs. G. Ashford, Mrs. T. E. Cadman and infant, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Speyer, Masters M. and B. Speyer, Miss K. Speyer, Messrs. J. Watt, W. T. Janner, A. MacMillan, J. A. McKechnie, S. Johnson, Y. C. Yang; for Marseilles: Mr. W. B. Kennett, Mrs. H. H. Fox; for Penang: Mrs. L. A. Thomas; for Singapore: Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Reads, Mrs. Kerr, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Welch, Mrs. D. Goldman, Messs. A. P. Goldman, Yap Konhin, D. L. Hutchison, A. S. Henderson; for Hongkong: Mrs. Church, Mr. and Mrs. Benson and infant, Misses Hardy, Reads, Hargreaves, Graham, Fletcher, Mr. and Mrs. Permain, Messrs. R. Baude, Morgan, Braine, MacDonald, Hudd, S. H. Dutton, de Meyer, Holloway, Allister, Monck, Powell.

## Passengers Arrived

Per P. & O. s.s. Sardinia from London: Mrs. Illingworth, Misses Dougherty, Forge, V. Palmer, V. M. Kelly, Mr. and Mrs. G. W Bonwick and child, Mrs. A. Palmer, Mrs. C. A. Miller, Capt. A. C. Smart, Major L. Tracey, Messrs. C. J. Furness, B. S. Stephenson, E. Williams, W. Paxton, W. G. Dawson T. Kirby, G. S. Oliver, A. Dalton, R. C. Allen, A. Davidson, A. E. Fennings, D. T. Nicholas, C. W. H. Gill, T. Ross, W. Blanchard, T. Edmunds, H. Chambers; from Marseilles: Mr. G. Gibello, Capt. and Mrs. R. J. H. Kinloch; from Colombo: Miss F. Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. G. Kelman, Messrs. F. G. Davies, Larner, C. R. Morling; from Singapore: Mr. and Mrs. Bostock, Miss Barton, Mr. and Mrs. F. Brown, Messrs. G. Coleman, F. Keenze, H. Khenichand; from Hongkong: Sir Skinner Turner, Lady and Miss Turner, Misses M. Lindsay, J. Twill, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Benwell, Messrs. W. H. Daly, D. H. Scott, A. R. Bletcher, A. J. Reven, Shigihara.

Per C.N. s.s. Hsin Peking from Ningpo: Mrs. Clem, Miss Wadman, Messrs. Gencel, W. J. Calder.

Per C.N. s.s. Szechuen from Hongkong: Mrs. James and infant, Miss Cowans, Miss Boyce, Mr. Lamb; from Amoy: Mr. Oster. Mr. and Mrs. Kocker.

Per K.M.A. s.s. Kiangping from Chinwantao: Mr. F. Mender.

Per I-C. s.s. Loongwo from Hankow: Mrs. M. C. Jensen and child, General G. Perira, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bristow, Mrs. Carrion, Messrs. Tribken, Fry, Jas. Kerfoot, R. H. Mulley; from Kiukiang: Messrs. G. Butland, W. Smith; from Wuhu: Mr. and Mrs. Lindholm.

Per C.N. s.s. Woosung from Hankow: Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Sykes, Misses Powell, Barashkova, Tomina, Messrs. Bratov, Nathan, S. Lafgren.

Per C.N. s.s. Fengtien from Tientsin: Mrs. Avenell, Mrs. Ermiloff, Mr. and Mrs. Ermiloff and two children, Mr. and Mrs. Cochen, Mr. Birell; from Chefoo: B. Schozken, Mr. L. Pesuot.

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Nikko Maru ..... May 19
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Shanghai Maru ..... May 22

**FOR VICTORIA, SEATTLE AND VANCOUVER**
Iyo Maru ..... May 24

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Kawachi Maru End of May

**FOR EUROPE**
Kitano Maru ..... May 19
*Dakar Maru ..... June 2
Haruna Maru ..... June 2

**FOR AUSTRALIA, from Hongkong.**
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| | DELTA | June 23 |
| | MALWA | July 7 |
| Calcutta—via Kobe. | JAPAN | June 5 |
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| COBDILLERE | 6th April | 16th May | 9th June |
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**TO THE UNITED STATES AND EUROPE**

| DATE | CLOSING | STEAMER | DUE AT | DATE |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| May 19 | 3 p.m. | E. of Asia | Vancouver | June 4 |
| May 25 | ——— | P. Madison | Seattle | June 10 |
| May 26 | ——— | P. Taft | S. Francisco | June 14 |

**TO STRAITS, INDIA & EUROPE VIA SUEZ**

| DATE | CLOSING | STEAMER | DUE AT | DATE |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| May 18 | 3 p.m. | Kitano Maru | Marseilles | June 24 |

**TO NORTHERN PORTS**

| TO | DATE | CLOSING | STEAMER |
|---|---|---|---|
| Vladivostok & Siberia | Today | 5 p.m. | via Train |
| W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin | Today | 1.30 p.m. | Fengtien |
| Antung | May 16 | 9.30 a.m. | Chengtu |
| Chefoo and Tientsin | May 17 | 10.30 a.m. | Nanning |
| Tsingtao and Dairy | May 18 | 10.30 a.m. | Sakaki Maru |

**TO SOUTHERN PORTS**

| TO | DATE | CLOSING | STEAMER |
|---|---|---|---|
| Swatow | Today | 9.30 a.m. | Szechuen |
| Swatow | Today | 9 p.m. | Loksang |
| Wenchow | May 16 | 9 p.m. | Feiching |
| Foochow | May 16 | 9 p.m. | Hsinchi |
| Amoy | May 17 | 10.30 a.m. | Sunning |
| Hongkong & Canton | May 18 | 1 p.m. | E. of Canada |
| Hongkong & Canton | May 18 | 3 p.m. | Kitano M. |
| Swatow | May 19 | 11.30 a.m. | Shantung |

**MISCELLANOUS PORTS**

| TO | DATE | CLOSING | STEAMER |
|---|---|---|---|
| River ports | Today | 9 p.m. | via Train |
| Japan ports | Today | 7 p.m. | Omi Maru |
| Japan ports | May 16 | 5 p.m. | Sardinia |
| Japan ports | May 17 | 7 p.m. | Nagasaki M. |
| Manila, Australia and N. Zealand | May 18 | 1 p.m. | E. of Canada |
| Japan ports | May 19 | 10 a.m. | Nikko Maru |

## Men-Of-War In Port

| Section | Date | Name | Flag and Rating |
|---|---|---|---|
| F N B | May 6 | Altair | Fr. Gun-boat |
| O D W | ——— | Cricket | Br. Gun-boat |
| K N D | May—4 | Croanne | Br. Sloop. |
| B N B | May 5 | Diomed | Br. Cruiser |
| B J | Apr. 22 | E.Carlotto | Ital. Gun-boat |
| 1 C | Mar. 23 | Mantis | Br. Gun-boat |
| V S N B | Apr. 24 | ...tersfield | Br. Gun-boat |
| V S N B | May 7 | Rainbow | Am. Tender |
| V S N B | May 5 | S. 4 | Am. Submarine |
| V S N B | May 5 | S. 6 | Am. Submarine |
| V S N B | May 5 | S. 7 | Am. Submarine |
| V S N B | May 5 | S. 8 | Am. Submarine |
| B N B | Mar. 12 | S. 9 | Am. Submarine |
| | Apr. 23 | Seb. Caboto | Ital. Gun-boat |
| A T P D W | May 5 | Villalobos | Am. Gun-boat |

## Meteorological Reports

May 13, 1923. SIKKAWEI

| | May 4. | | May 5. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Sun rises today at 5.12 | 29.88 | 29.91 | 29.81 | 29.82 |
| Sun rises today at 18.64 | -0.06 | -0.08 | -0.14 | -0.16 |
| (inches | -0.07 | -0.07 | -0.07 | -0.09 |
| Barometer (variation for 24 hrs. | ESE | ESE | ESE | ESE |
| at 32° F. (variation for 12 hrs. | 14.9 | 13.0 | 11.2 | 14.3 |
| Wind—direction | 66°8 | 55°8 | 56°8 | 66°8 |
| Wind—miles per hour | 64 | 91 | 96 | 75 |
| Temperature (Fahr.) | 8 | 0 | 10 | 10 |
| Humidity % | — | — | — | — |
| Nebulosity (0 to 10) | | | | |
| Barometer (mean 4 obs.) | | | | |
| April 23 | | | 24 hrs. Previous | average |
| SIKKAWEI ABRIDGED REPORT | Noon 1922 | | Variation | same period |
| Total rainfall, since Jan. 1 to midnight before last (inches) | 29.93 | | -0.03 | 29.97 |
| Temperature (Min. 50°5) (Fahr.) (Max. 76°8) | 63°7 | | †1°4 | 61°5 |
| Rainfall (inches) | 12.254 | | 0.00 | 11.87 |

## Information For Mariners

TUESDAY, MAY 15, 1923

(The night tide are higher than the day tides, they are about equal at 6 and 7 o'clock).
Approximate rise, at spring 4¼ h; at neaps, 5 h.
fall, at spring 8½ h; at neaps, 7½ h.

| Time | Range | Time | Range |
|---|---|---|---|
| | | 0h. 8m. | 7ft. 6in. |

High Water at Tungsha Lightship
(The night tides are higher than the day tides).
Approximate rise, 5½ h; approximate fall, 7 h.

| A.M. H. | A.M. M. | P.M. H. | P.M. M. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 11 | 9 | 11 | 26 |

Time of Moonrise, Moonset, Sunrise, Sunset

| Moon Rises | Moon Sets | Sun Rises | Daylight Sets | Dark |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 4.45 a.m. | 6.12 p.m. | 5h. 6m. | 6h. 47m. | 4h. 21m. / 7h. 32m. |

Mean Barometric Pressure.
May 29.88 in.
759.2 mm.

### Steamers Departed

May 12—E. Carlotto for Cruise
May 12—U.S.S. Isabel for cruise
May 13—Whangpu for Hankow
May 13—Talee M. for Hankow
May 13—U.S.S. General Alava for cruise.
May 13—Haean for Foochow
May 13—Pres. Grant for S'tle
May 13—Saikio M. for T. Dairen
May 13—Eurylochus for U.S.A.
May 13—Takaoka M. for U.S.A.
May 13—Kamo M. for Japan
May 13—Yushun for N'chwang
May 13—Iyo Maru for H'kong
May 13—Wanli for Dairen
May 13—Ohio for Tientin
May 13—Taksang for W.C.T.
May 13—Unda for Balikpapan
May 13—Meinan for Wenchow
May 13—Daiya M. for River ports
May 13—Peihua for Tientsin
May 13—Robert Dollar II for Chungking
May 13—Nordstrand for C'tao
May 13—Takon M. 1 for T'tsin
May 14—Kiangyung for Hankow
May 14—Ouderkerk for Mlike
May 14—Ralph Moller for ....
14—Glenapp for Japan
May 14—Glenogle for Hongkong
May 14—H. Peking for Ningpo
May 14—H. N'shan for Ningpo

## Future Sailings

FOR AMERICA AND CANADA

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| May 17 | — | Vancouver, etc. | Harold Dollar | Br. Dollar Co. |
| May 18 | — | Boston, New York | Eastern Prince | Br. Furness |
| May 19 | — | Vancouver | †E. of Asia | Br. C.P.S. |
| May. 20 | — | New York via Suez | C. of Birmingha | Br. J. M. & Co. |
| May 20 | — | Seattle | Africa Maru | Jap. O. S. K. |
| May 24 | — | Seattle | Iyo Maru | Jap. N. Y. K. |
| May 25 | — | Seattle | †P. Madison | Am. Adl. O. Line |
| May 25 | — | New York via Suez | M. S. Dollar | Br. Dollar Co. |
| May 26 | — | San Francisco | †P. Taft | Am. P.M.S.S. Co |
| May 27 | — | Portland, Ore. | Hannawa | Am. Lumber Co. |
| May 28 | — | San Francisco | †Nanking | Am. China Mail |
| May 29 | — | San Francisco | Tenyo Maru | Jap. T. K. K. |
| May 30 | — | New York via Suez | Ganta | Br. B. & S. |
| May 31 | — | Portland, Ore. | West Keats | Am. Lumber Co. |
| June 2 | — | New York, Boston | Stanley | Am. Adl. O. Line |
| June 3 | — | Portland, Ore. | Wawalona | Am. Lumber Co. |
| June 4 | — | Vancouver | †E. of Canada | Br. C.P.S. |
| June 5 | — | Seattle | Hawaii Maru | Jap. O.S.K. |
| June 6 | — | Seattle | †P. McKinley | Am. Adl. O. Line |
| June 8 | — | San Francisco | Korea Maru | Jap. T. K. K. |
| June 9 | — | San Francisco | †P. Cleveland | Am. P.M.S.S. Co. |
| June 16 | — | Vancouver | †E. of Russia | Br. C.P.S. |
| June 18 | — | Seattle | †P. Jackson | Am. Adl. O. Line |
| June 19 | — | New York via P'ma | Mayebashi | Jap. N. Y. K. |
| June 20 | — | New York via Suez | Mayebashi M. | Br. B. & S. |
| June 21 | — | San Francisco | †Shinyo Maru | Jap. T. K. K. |
| June 23 | — | San Francisco | †P. Pierce | Am. P.M.S.S. Co |
| June 25 | — | New York | Elkton | Am. Adl. O. Line |
| June 30 | — | Seattle | †P. Jefferson | Am. Adl. O. Line |
| July 2 | — | Vancouver | †E. of Australia | Br. C.P.S. |
| July 3 | — | San Francisco | Siberia M. | Jap. T.K.K. |
| July 7 | — | San Francisco | †P. Wilson | Am. P.M.S.S. Co |
| July 13 | — | New York | Hamburg Maru | Jap. O. S. K. |

FOR JAPAN PORTS

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|---|---|---|---|---|
| May 15 | — | Nagasaki | Shanghai M. | Jap. N. Y. K. |
| May 16 | — | Moji, Kobe, Y'hama | Sardinia | Br. M.M. & Co. |
| May 16 | — | Kobe, Yokohama | Cordillere | Fr. M.M. Cie. |
| May 16 | — | Moji, Kobe, Osaka | Omi Maru | Jap. N.Y.K. |
| May 17 | — | Moji, Kobe, Osaka | Takeshima M. | Jap. N. Y. K. |
| May 18 | — | Nagasaki | Nagasaki M. | Jap. N. Y. K. |

FOR EUROPE INDIA, STRAITS, ETC

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|---|---|---|---|---|
| May 15 | — | Liverpool, etc. | Meriones | Br. B & S |
| May 16 | — | Rotterdam, etc. | Glaucus | Br. B. & S |
| May 16 | — | Rotterdam | Oostkerk | Dut. H. C. T. Co |
| May 19 | — | London | Kitano M. | Jap. N.Y.K. |
| May 22 | — | Hamburg, etc. | Glenariffe | Br. G.L.E.A. |
| May 23 | — | Hamburg, etc. | Neleus | Br. B & S |
| May 25 | 5.00 | Marseilles | †Amboise | Fr. M. M. Cie |
| May 26 | — | London, etc. | †Nyanza | Br. M. M. & Co |
| May 27 | — | Liverpool, etc. | Elpenor | Br. B. & S. |
| May 30 | — | Rotterdam, etc. | Automedon | Br. B. & S. |
| May 31 | — | Bombay | Soudan | Br. M.M. & Co. |
| May 31 | — | Hamburg etc. | Glenamoy | Br. G. L. E. A. |
| June 2 | — | London, etc. | Haruna Maru | Jan. N. Y. K. |
| June 6 | — | Antwerp, etc. | Eumaeus | Br. B. & S. |
| June 9 | — | Maresilles | †Cordillere | Fr. M. M. Cie |
| June 9 | — | London | †Sardinia | Br. M.M. & Co. |
| June 9 | — | Hamburg, etc. | Amur Maru | Jap. O.S.K. |
| June 12 | — | Rotterdam, etc. | Onderkerk | Dut. H. C. T. Co |
| June 13 | — | Hamburg, etc. | Adrastus | Br. B. & S. |
| June 15 | — | Liverpool, etc. | Phemius | Br. B. & S. |
| June 18 | — | Hamburg, etc. | Glenapp | Br. G.L.E.A. |
| June 20 | — | Rotterdam, etc. | Telreslas | Br. B. & S. |
| June 23 | — | Marseilles | †Angers | Fr. M. M. Cie |
| Jun. 23 | — | London | †Dejka | Br. M.M. & Co |
| June 27 | — | Hamburg, etc. | Machaon | Br. B. & S. |
| June 27 | — | Liverpool, etc. | Cyclops | Br. B. & S. |
| July 7 | — | Marseilles | †Chili | Fr. M. M. Cie |
| July 7 | — | London, etc. | †Malwa | Br. M.M. & Co. |
| July 21 | — | Marseilles | †Porthos | Fr. M. M. Cie |
| July 31 | — | Marseilles | Sarpedon | Br. B. & S. |
| Aug. 4 | — | Marseilles | Angkor | Fr. M. M. Cie |

FOR AUSTRALIA FROM HONGKONG

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|---|---|---|---|---|
| June 2 | — | Melbourne, etc. | †Eastern | Br. M.M. & Co. |
| July 7 | — | Melbourne, etc. | †Araftura | Br. M.M. & Co. |
| Aug. 4 | — | Melbourne, etc. | †St. Albans | Br. M. M. & Co. |

FOR SOUTHERN PORTS

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|---|---|---|---|---|
| May | 15 | 5.30 Ningpo | Yungshin | Chi. N.S.S.N. Co. |
| May | 15 | 5.30 Ningpo | Hsin Kiangteen | Chi. C.M.S.N. Co. |
| May | 15 | 11.00* S. H'kong, C'ton | Szechuen | Br. B. & S. |
| May | 16 | Ningpo | Hsin Ningshao | Chi. N.S.S.N. Co. |
| May | 16 | Ningpo | Hsin Peking | Br. B. & S. |
| May | 16 | D.L. S. H'kong, C'ton | Loksang | Br. J. M. & Co |
| May | 17 | — Foochow | Hsinchi | Chi. C.M.S.N. Co. |
| May | 17 | — Wenchow | Feiching | Chi. C.M.S.N. Co. |
| May | 17 | noon A. H'kong, C'ton | Sunning | Br. B. & S. |
| May | 18 | — Hongkong | E. of Canada | Br. C. P. S. |
| May | 19 | 1.00 S. H'kong, C'ton | Shantung | Br. B & S |
| May | 20 | — Keelung, etc. | Fukuken M. | Jap. O. S. K. |
| May | 21 | — Hongkong, Manila | P. McKinley | Am. Adl. O. Line |
| May | 23 | — Hongkong | Korea M. | Jap. T. K. K. |
| May | 25 | — Hongkong, Manila | P. Cleveland | Am. P.M.S.S. Co. |
| May | 27 | — Hongkong, Manila | Hannawa | Am. Lumber Co. |
| May | 29 | — Hongkong | Alabama Maru | Jap. O.S.K. |
| June | 1 | — Hongkong | E. of Russia | Br. C.P.S. |
| June | 2 | — Hongkong, Manila | P. Jackson | Am. Adl. O. Line |
| June | 3 | — Hongkong | Shinyo Maru | Jap. T.K.K. |
| June | 3 | — Hongkong, Manila | Wawalona | Am. Lumber Co. |
| June | 8 | — Hongkong, Manila | P. Pierce | Am. P.M.S.S. Co. |
| June | 14 | — Hongkong, Manila | P. Jefferson | Am. Adl. O. Line |

FOR NORTHERN PORTS

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|---|---|---|---|---|
| May | 15 | — Chefoo, Tientsin | Hsinming | Chi. C.M.S.N. Co. |
| May | 15 | 3.00 W. C'foo, T'tsin | Fengtien | Br. B. & S. |
| May | 16 | 11.00* Antung | Chengtu | Br. B. & S. |
| May | 16 | 11.00* N'chwang, Dairen | Chihli | Br. B. & S. |
| May | 16 | D.L. Tsingtao | Yusang | Br. J. M. & Co. |
| May | 16 | — Chinwangtao | Kaiping | Br. K M. A. |
| May | 16 | — Newchwang | Kungping | Chi. C.M.S.N. Co. |
| May | 17 | noon Chefoo, Tientsin | Nanning | Br. B. & S. |
| May | 18 | noon Tsingtao, Dairen | Sakaki M. | Jap. O. K. K. |
| May | 18 | — Dairen, etc. | Seikyo Maru | Jap. O.S.K. |
| May | 19 | 1.00 Tsingtao | Sinkiang | Br. B. & S. |
| May | 22 | 3.00 Tsingtao, Dairen | Saikio Maru | Jap. O.K.K. |
| May | 31 | — Tsingtao, Dairen | West Keats | Am. Lumber Co. |

FOR RIVER PORTS

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|---|---|---|---|---|
| May | 15 | M.N. Hankow, etc. | Loongwo | Br. J. M. & Co. |
| May | 15 | M.N. Hankow, etc. | Chungking | Br. B. & S. |
| May | 15 | M.N. Hankow, etc. | Changon | Chi. S.P.S.N. Co. |
| May | 16 | M.N. Hankow, etc. | Kiangteen | Chi. C.M.S.N. Co. |
| May | 16 | M.N. Hankow, etc. | Woosung | Br. B. & S. |
| May | 16 | M.N. Hankow, etc. | Pingwo | Br. J. M. & Co. |
| May | 17 | M.N. Hankow, etc. | Kiangan | Chi. C.M.S.N. Co. |
| May | 17 | M.N. Hankow, etc. | Luenho | Br. J. M. & Co. |
| May | 17 | M.N. Hankow, etc. | Poyang | Br. [illegible] |
| May | 18 | M.N. Hankow, etc. | Kiangyu | Chi. C.M.S.N. Co. |
| May | 18 | M.N. Hankow, etc. | Suiwo | Br. J. M. & Co. |
| May | 18 | M.N. Hankow, etc. | Luenyi | Br. B. & S. |
| May | 19 | M.N. Hankow, etc. | Wuchang | Br. B & S |
| May | 20 | M.N. Hankow, etc. | Kiangtoo | Chi. C.M.S.N. Co. |
| May | 21 | M.N. Hankow, etc. | Kiangwah | Chi. C.M.S.N. Co. |
| May | 21 | M.N. Hankow, etc. | Nzankin | Br. B. & S. |
| May | 22 | M.N. Hankow, etc. | Kianghsin | Chi. C.M.S.N. Co. |
| May | 22 | M.N. Hankow, etc. | Tuckwo | Br. J. M. & Co. |
| May | 22 | M.N. Hankow, etc. | Shengking | Br. B & S |

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**on Tuesday, 15th May, 1923, at 10 a.m.,**
**the whole of the Superior Household Furniture, Fittings and Sundries**
**comprising**

**Hall.** Coir matting, Coat rack, Table, Pictures &c.
**Drawing Room.** Brass fender, Matting, Vases, Pictures, **Teak Silk tapestry covered Couch,** Arm Chairs, **Teak Silver ware cabinet,** Teak round table, tea table, Lacquered teapoys, Curtains, &c., &c.
**Dining Room.** Electric table lamps, Brass ware, Mat carpet, Brass fender, Clock, Japanese wall plates, Teak flower stand, Baby's Chairs, **Teak bevelled mirror back Sideboard,** Dinner wagon, Extension dining table, Teak dining chairs, Screen, Dinner crockery, E. P. ware, Glass ware, Table cover, &c.
**Bedroom. Teak bevelled mirror door Wardrobe,** Bevelled mirror back dressing table, chest of drawers, Chairs, **Teak double bedstead,** Round table, Rattan ware, Curtains, Matting, Vases,
**Bath Room, Enamelled iron bath,** lavatory basin, Geyser, Medicine cabinet, &c.
**Pantry and Kitchen** Cooking stove, Meat safe, Ice Chest, Tables, Cooking utensils, Shelves, &c.

**Favoured with the instructions from the Concerned**
Will sell by Public auction at the
China Merchants Lower Wharf
**On Tuesday, 15th May 1923**
at 2.30 p.m.
**320 BAGS AMERICAN FLOUR**
On View morning of Sale

### IN FRONT SALESROOM

**On Wednesday, 16th May at 10 a.m.**
**Superior Household Furniture and Sundries**
Comprising:
Suite Mahogany stained Bedroom Furniture, Suite Tapestry covered Driwing Room Furniture, Couch and Arm Chairs, Large high Desks, Chinese Redwood round table, redwood small table, redwood desk chair, Teak round Dining Table, Simmon's single Brass Bedsteads, Hospital Beds, **Tientsin Carpets & Rugs,** Serge Curtains, Chest of Drawers, Washstand Square & round tables, Tennis net with pole, mirror back sideboard, Dinner Wagon, Dining Table & Chairs, Child's Tricycle, Gramaphone records, Watches, Glassware, Tea Crockery Pictures, Books Curios, Tennis Rackets, Ice Chests, Gramaphone, Rocking Chairs, Level, Mirror back Hat & Umbrella Stand,

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American Organ
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Black Tea
Hand Made Lace
New G. E. Oscillating Fans, 110 Volts & 200, 16" 12" & 9"
and at noon
"Stower" 5 seater, 4 cylinder Motor Car, in running order.
On View Friday

**On Wednesday, May 16th, 1923, at 2:30 p.m.**
5 Cases Bristol Board, 1 Case Blue Shanghai Bond, 1 Case White China Bond, 1 Case M. F. Book Paper, 124 Sheets Pink & White Celluloid, 1 Case Photographic Papers and Plates, **18 Cases Austrian Bentwood Chairs,** 18 Cases Table Spoons, 28 Cases Hairpins, 4 Cases Razors, 2 Cases Pocket Knives, 1 Case Assorted Enamelled Ware, 4 Dozen "Judge" Brand Frying Pans, 3 Cases Damaged Needles, 7 Cases Assorted Jam, 80 Cases "Bear" Brand Cocoa, 80 Cases "Hormes" Brand Cocoa, 800 Tins Loose Cocoa in tins 22½ lbs., 3 Barrels Salt Herrings, 3 Dozen Tins Norwegian Sardines, 2 Cases Kerk's White Flake Soap, 20 Drums Chlorite of Lime, 4 Cases Paint, 928 lbs. Herculene, 57 Packages Alabastine, 10 Large Iron Drums, 1 Piece Damask Table Cloth, 22 Men's Straw Hats, 25 Pairs Rubber Soles, 10 Pairs Lady's Shoes,

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**Commencing at 10 a.m.**
**Excellent household furniture and effects,**
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**Pantry and Kitchen requesites,**
Hat and umbrella stand, coir mats, pictures, vases, Axminster carpets, tapestry covered white enamelled drawing room furniture, curio cabinets, blackwood stand fire screens, white enamelled teapoys, mirror back sideboard, dinner wagon, extension dining table and chairs, screens side tables, lace curtains, E. P., glass, and crockery ware, Brussels carpets, oakwood mirror back bedroom furniture, white enamelled double iron wooden bedsteads with horse hair and kapock mattress, wicker furniture, screen, mirror door wardrobe, bookcase, books, Soochow bath, medicine chest, shoe chest, toilet set, towel rack, shaving mirror, etc., Pantry and Kitchen as usual electric fitting throughout.
also
One Fine toned cottage piano by Steinhardt (Stuttgart).
One "Junker-Ruh" Stove.
One "Victor" victrola with records.
One 4-blade electric ceiling fan, 210 volts.

**On view Monday and Sunday**

## W. Funder & Co.

Auctioneers, Real Estate Agents, Adjusters, Appraisers, and Coal Merchants
will sell by Public Auction within their Godown
No. 40A Kiangse Road
On
**Tuesday, the 15th May**
**At 2.30 p.m.**
**Sundry Cargo**
Comprising:
Champagne glasses, lamp chimneys, scissors, pocket knives, cornflour, biscuits, "803" playing cards, cigarette paper, 75 bags flour slightly damaged, assorted provisions, and sundries, etc., etc.
also
Two Packing machines.
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One lathe, 4 ft.

**On view morning of sale**

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Imports.—Piece Goods: The market is quiet and there is little doing in any line.

Yarn:—There was some inquiry for May-June shipment at prices about Hankow Tls. 5.00 under Shanghai levels. Clearances brisk.

Exports.—The market remains about the same as last reported and little if any business has been done in any line of produce.

Analysis of exports for week ending April 27:

Cow hides to Shanghai, etc., 219, America 94, Belgium 16, Germany 67, Italy 123 and Japan 348 piculs.

Buffalo hides to Shanghai 62, America 910 and Italy 43 piculs.

Untanned goatskins to Shanghai 8,368, America 130,000 and Japan 4 pieces.

China grass to Shanghai, etc., 1,094 and Japan 507 piculs.

Vegetable tallow to Shanghai, etc., 907 piculs.

Animal tallow to Shanghai 214 and Germany 48 piculs.

Gall nuts to Shanghai 41 and America 329 piculs.

Raw cotton to Shanghai 7,618 and Japan 694 piculs.

Bristle to Shanghai 78, United Kingdom 11 and Japan 18 piculs.

Sesamum seeds to Shanghai 4,883 and Japan 10,080 piculs.

Groundnuts (shelled) to Shanghai 230 piculs.

Wood oil to Shanghai, etc., 7,235, America 12,671, Germany 2,857, Italy 49 and Holland 83 piculs.

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